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# BABY PAGE

## How to make this matinee coat

THIS baby's coat and bonnet set is knitted throughout on the diagonal.

The work begins at the edge of one sleeve, is knitted up to the neck, then the front completed and finally the back.

The second half of the coat is made in the same way and the two pieces joined down the centre back.

The stitch is a simple one, and at intervals lines of contrasting colour are introduced. The original set was in white with blue stripes and was tied with blue ribbons.

The set is planned to fit a baby six months old. For a smaller size use needles one size smaller than those quoted.

### YOU NEED:

2ozs. Ramada baby wool, 3 ply, in white.  
1oz. ditto in blue or any colour preferred.  
A pair of No. 10 Vigella knitting pins.  
A fairly fine crochet hook.  
1½ yard of ribbon.

### MEASUREMENTS

Coat: Length 12ins., all round under arms 20ins.  
Sleeve from neck to lower edge 8ins.  
Hat: Round head 14ins., depth 7ins.

### ABBREVIATIONS

K, Knit; p, purl; st, stitch; tor, together; inc, increase; dec, decrease; beg, beginning; ins, inches.

Begin at centre of lower edge of sleeve, using white wool, cast on 3 sts.

1st row: K 1, k 3 into centre st (by knitting into the front, back and front of the same st), k 1. 2nd row: Inc in first st (by knitting into the front and back of the same st), k 1, p 1 till 1 remains; inc into last st (7 sts). 3rd row: Knit, inc in first and last sts and knitting 2 times into centre st (11 sts). 4th row: Knit, inc into first and last sts (13 sts). 5th row: Knit, inc in first and last sts and knitting 3 times into centre st (17 sts).

Repeat the last 4 rows twice more (41 sts).

Repeat the 2nd row once (43 sts).

Join on blue wool and repeat the 3rd and 4th rows (49 sts). Join on white wool and repeat the 5th row (53 sts). Repeat the 2nd to 5th rows inclusive twice more (79 sts).

The straight edge of the knitting is the lower edge of sleeve, and the sides of sleeve are now begun.

27th row: Join on blue wool and knit, knitting 3 times in centre st. 28th row: Knit, dec (by taking 2 sts together) at beg and end of row (79 sts).

The work now continues in the following twelve row pattern (the shaping is given after the pattern so please just read the pattern rows through, then work as directed immediately after).

The Pattern.

1st row: With white, knit.

2nd row: With white, p 1, k 1 all along.

3rd row: With white, knit.

4th row: With white, knit.

5th row: With white, knit.

6th row: With white, p 1, k 1 all along.

7th row: With white, knit.

8th row: With white, knit.

9th row: With white, knit.

10th row: With white, p 1, k 1 all along.

11th row: With blue, knit.

Now proceed in the pattern just given out, keeping edges of work straight to form under arm of sleeves, and inc at centre as follows:

Work the twelve pattern rows twice, knitting three times into the centre st in the first and every alternate row, and dec at both ends of intermediate rows.

Now the side edges increase to form the side seams of front and back of coat.

Repeat the twelve pattern rows once, knitting three times into the centre st in first and alternate rows and inc both ends of the alternate rows.

Now the right front is worked as follows:

Continuing in pattern, on first row inc in first st, knit 66; turn, 2nd row: K 2 tog (this will be neck end), pattern to end, inc in last st.

Still continuing in pattern now inc one st on every row at side edge and dec on alternate rows at neck edge.

When one pattern is completed work one more pattern still inc on every row at side seam edge and casting off two sts at the beginning of every row that begins at neck edge.

Then cast off two sts at the beginning of every row until two sts remain. Cast off.

Now the right half of back is worked as follows:

Return to the st left where the work turned to begin the front, join white wool at neck edge, and k 3 tog.

Work one whole pattern inc on every row at side edge and keeping neck edge straight.

Now cast off two sts at neck edge for one whole pattern, still inc. at side edge on every row. Finally cast off two sts at the beginning of



—and here Mothers tell when their babies first

smiled . . .

I HAD not been on speaking terms with my neighbour for some time before my baby's birth. A few weeks after the child was born I was sitting in the garden with my baby on my lap. Suddenly I saw his eyes go right past me and a broad smile spread over his face.

I looked up and there was my neighbour, leaning over the fence behind me, making silent gestures to my baby, and he had smiled back at her. Needless to say, we both spoke then and have been friends ever since.

(Mrs.) M. F.

BABY'S early facial contortions often resembled a smile, but his first real smile was unmistakable.

My sister and I had taken him to the clinic, when he was about seven weeks old. We happened to glance down at him as he lay in my arms, and he gave us the sweetest smile imaginable.

I looked at my sister; our eyes had filled simultaneously.

(Mrs.) F. H.

My baby was born in hospital. She was not very strong, and when she was nearly a month old I was discharged, but had to leave baby behind.

Ten days passed before I was strong enough to visit her in hospital, but I well remember the evening my husband and I followed the nurse into the nursery. When we leaped over the cot, our baby gave us a most lovely smile, which seemed to say, "Have you come to take me home?"

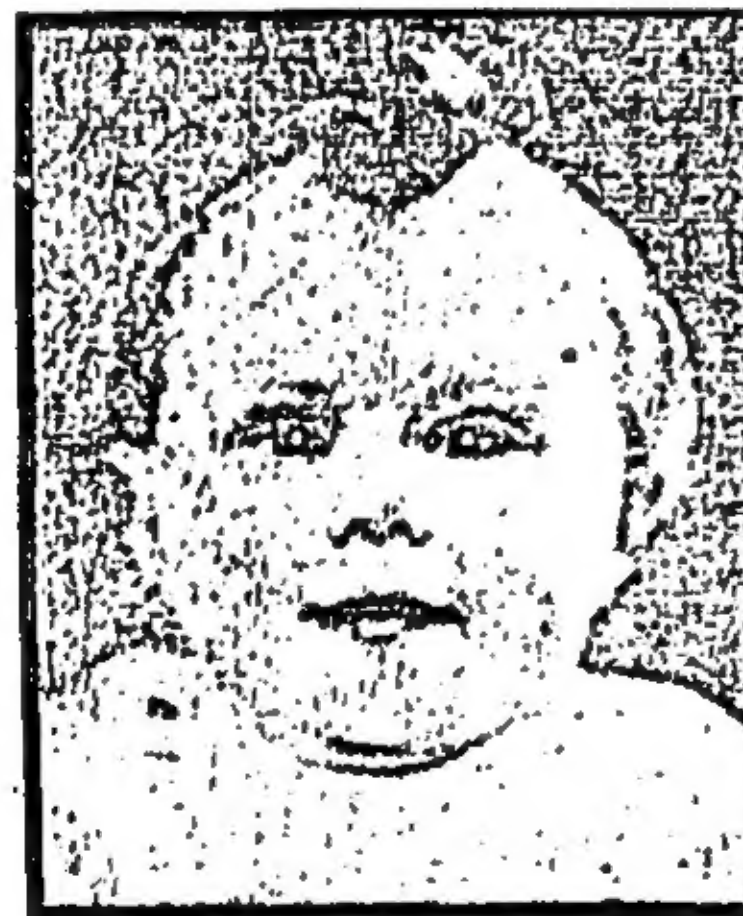
(Mrs.) A. E.

OUR baby's first smile was for her father. She is just three months old, and every time she catches sight of him she laughs all over her face.

We think it must be his bushy hair, as he has rather a lot and has a way of running his hands through it when he is reading. This makes it stand up on end, and our other children call it Bushwood.

Now they say that even the baby can see the joke.

(Mrs.) D.



every row until two remain. Cast off.

Work the left half of coat as for right half until the 155 sts are on needle.

Now work back of left half: Join on white wool and work first row of pattern on 65 sts. k 3 tog.

Turn and continue back to match right back.

When this is complete join on white wool at neck edge and work left front to match right front.

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1 oz butter.  
Salt, pepper, cayenne.  
Small rounds of fried or toasted bread.

Cut the mushrooms in pieces, and cook with the butter and seasoning five minutes. Peel and cut up tomatoes, add to mushrooms, stew for a few minutes longer. Arrange on toast and sprinkle with parsley. Serve hot.

### Mushroom Kromesies

½ lb mushrooms  
1 oz butter.  
1 oz flour.  
One gill milk.  
Pepper, salt, lemon juice.  
Slices of streaky bacon.  
Eggs.  
¼ lb flour.

Quarter teaspoonful salt.  
Quarter pint tepid water.  
One tablespoonful oil.  
White of one egg.

Stew mushrooms in the milk till tender. Chop finely. Make a thick sauce with the butter, flour, and milk the mushrooms were cooked in. Add mushrooms and seasoning. Mix well, and leave till cold.

To make batter, stir oil slowly into measured flour. Whisk white of egg stiffly, and, just at the last, stir it very lightly into mixture.

Heat a frying pan from bacon. Put a spoonful of mushroom mixture on to each slice and roll up neatly. Dip in batter, and fry in smoking hot fat to a golden brown.

### Mushrooms à la Creme

½ lb mushrooms.  
2 oz butter.  
One egg.  
One bunch of sweet herbs.  
Salt, pepper, grated nutmeg.  
Slices of buttered toast.

Cut mushrooms in three or four pieces. Melt butter, put in mushrooms and herbs, and toss over a quick fire till mushrooms are tender.

Then lift out herbs, and pour off all but a little butter. Beat up the egg with the cream, pour into pan, and stir mixture over a slow heat till egg is hot but not boiling. Season carefully with salt, pepper, and nutmeg. Pile on slices of hot, buttered toast.

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## Foundation Garments

CLOTHES nowadays, more than ever, are tailored to the figure, and the slim-fitting line which fashion favours for day and evening dresses is likely to remain popular.

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To look really well turned out a woman must study every detail of her clothes and personality. In fact, dressing well is no haphazard business; it is like doing a mathematical problem, you need to keep alert all the time, and go through the various stages of unravelling the problem from the facts you know, till you arrive at the correct answer.

Needless to say, every woman is not a good mathematician, nor does every woman dress as well as she might. Many things distract her attention from the real issue, which is to find the most attractive frame for her personality. She is liable to "fall for" an attractive dress or hat she sees in a shop, forgetting whether or not it will "fit in" with the other items in her wardrobe.

The general tendency is, however, for women to choose clothes which conform to the prevailing styles, and enhance their appearance to a reasonable extent, but some of them do not pay nearly enough attention to the choice of a suitable foundation garment. And in these days of slender lines and slim, attractive figures, a smooth-fitting foundation garment is all-important. It should, if anything be chosen more carefully than any other garment.

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# NEW VESSEL TO BLAST PLANES FROM SKY

## Being Studied By U.S. Naval Experts

NAVAL strategists in the United States have worked recently on something entirely new in warships for the United States—a fast cruiser-like vessel bristling with at least 50 anti-aircraft guns which could throw a veritable sheet of shrapnel at enemy air raiders.

The deck of such a ship would be almost as bare of regular equipment as that on an aircraft carrier, but it would be cluttered with guns to train on aircraft (says a United Press report from Washington).

One such vessel, 600 feet long, could mount at least 25 anti-aircraft guns along each side spaced at 20 feet apart, and thereby have more defence against airplanes than all the battleships of the fleet combined.

**"ANTI-AIR SHIP"**  
The purpose of such a fighter would be to break up air attacks but it would also be used against destroyer attacks. It is said, its guns would swing at angles of 360 degrees and fire in almost any direction since there would be practically no superstructure of towers and turrets to obstruct them. Three such vessels would give adequate protection against air raids, which many experts believe are the greatest threat developed against battleships in recent times.

The new type vessel would be called an "Anti-Air Ship." It has been studied but so far no concrete plans to build one have developed. Naval experts say it could meet an enemy attack before the approach of planes reached the fleet battle line. Such a vessel would have a time as well as tactical advantage over the air defences carried on standard ships.

**GREAT SPREAD OF FIRE**  
Battleships of the major navies at present mount only four anti-aircraft guns on each side, or a total of 48 guns which 12 battleships in the average fleet could bear on an approaching air fleet. Experts say that in the span of time when the raiders come within range and before they could strike, the battleships would have only one or two minutes in which to shoot at them. They could scarcely co-ordinate the fire of guns on 12 different ships in the short time well enough to destroy entirely the raiders.

The proposed new type of vessel, however, could co-ordinate its guns well, and would have more time in which to shoot.

An explanation of the ship was given in the last issue of the United

States Naval Institute Proceedings by Lieutenant-Commander Russell M. Irig, a veteran of the World War and of the Asiatic Fleet. Commander Irig pointed out that the best defence against airplanes is a great spread of fire, because the targets are too small and move too fast to be brought down by accurate gunnery. Irig said in part:

**CENTRAL CONTROL**  
"We can suppose that side armour has been sacrificed for deck armour and speed, and that she mounts an anti-aircraft battery that will give her better than an even chance against attacking destroyers. Existing for the express purpose of protecting that battle line by anti-aircraft fire, she will always be tactically close to that line and will require no heavy guns and hence also no high control masts, with modern radio dispensing with the necessity for high airdials. Her upper deck, then, will be practically unobstructed throughout her length as in the case of carriers, with boat plating handled the same way.

"Giving her the length of a modern cruiser, say 600 feet, we can mount on her deck on each side not less than 25 guns liberally spaced 20 feet apart. Practically all of these guns, except a few in the wake of ships and bridge, can bear through 360 degrees. The control can be centralized in the forecast for the entire battery, with divided control if necessary.

"Here then, as one unit, could be accurately controlled and co-ordinated the fire equalling that of ten battleships, favourably disposed. And with a tactical position toward the enemy, but not in line with the enemy main battle line, such a ship could have the enemy plane formation under fire at least one minute before the anti-aircraft batteries of the battle line would be able to open fire.

"Control without interference from main and secondary batteries, gives such a ship an advantage comparable to that of a shore anti-aircraft battery. Changes of course to keep the target on the most favourable bearing will not interfere with main battery fire of the battle line, as in the case with their own anti-aircraft batteries. The modern solution, of course, with its many advantages, is three ships of this size and type would exceed the anti-aircraft battery power of the entire battle line and increase many times the effectiveness of the anti-aircraft control under battle conditions. Their strategic usefulness when not in enemy waters would equal that of light cruisers of similar speed and tonnage."

### Grey Owl Pays Visit To London

WA-SHA-QUON-ASIN, eagle-faced "ambassador" for a quarter of a million Redskins, is in London.

He is over six feet of sinewy muscle, garbed in a picturesque deerskin suit.

A courteous, kindly man of about 45, Wa-Sha-Quon-Asin has done more than anyone else to raise the prestige of the Redskins.

"I think that, in their own way, they are just as cultured as white men," he told a representative of the People in his perfect, self-taught English.

"They never want to go round dominating their neighbours, but just wish to gain a living—no more." And then Grey Owl, as he is called in English, referred to Indian habits.

"Take our custom of painting the face," he said. "Don't white girls do the same?"

"But when people of my race do so it always means something."

"For instance, one dash of colour signifies that a man is thinking wisdom, another that he has been thinking and has got something to say about his thoughts."

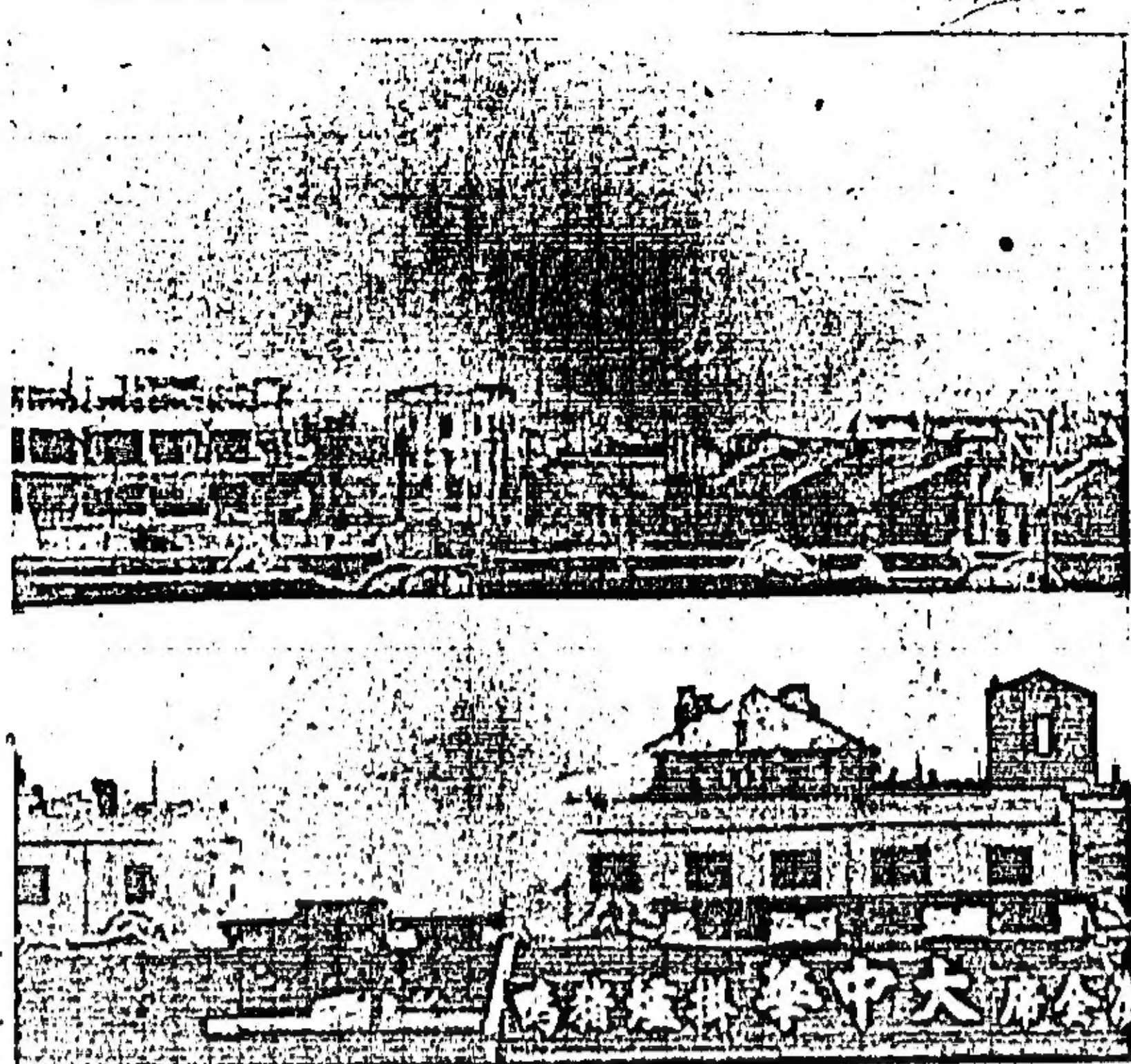
"When I hear talk of Red Indians scalping people I see red," Grey Owl continued.

Until nine years ago Grey Owl spent his life among the Redskins hunting and trapping; then he had an experience that altered his whole outlook.

"I found a mother beaver dead in one of my traps with her starving young crying pitifully by her side," he said.

"There and then I decided never to kill again."

### CHAPAI AGAIN HEAVILY BOMBED



Chapei area in the vicinity of the North Station has again been subjected to aerial and artillery bombardment, heavy property damage being done. Above two pictures were taken at the time the bombs dropped over the densely built-in district around Paoshan Road. Upper picture shows a bomb exploding in the vicinity of Paoshan Road, while lower photo shows a restaurant building being demolished.

## TWO WOMEN IN SHOT OFFICIAL'S LIFE

### One Saved Him, The Other Married Him

TWO women played dramatic parts in the life of Lewis Yelland Andrews, District Commissioner assassinated in Nazareth recently.

One, a seventeen-year-old Bedouin girl, threw herself across his body at the moment her tribesmen's swords were raised to strike him dead.

The other, a girl in charge of a shop in a tourist line, he proposed to very soon after they met and married within a fortnight.

The story of Andrews, strong man of Palestine, was told the *Daily Express* by his closest friend, Douglas V. Duff, twenty-five former divisional superintendent of Palestine police, who worked with him from 1921 to 1932.

"Andrews, even in my time was No. 1 on the Arab terrorists' list of doomed men," Mr. Duff began.

"He was loved by the good Arabs, was incorruptible and absolutely fearless."

"The story of his marriage is pretty romantic. The line in which Mrs. Andrews worked put into Ithra Bay. She chanced to go on a trip to the Sea of Galilee and met Andrews."

"Once he was captured by a war party of the Bedouins, a Bedouin tribe who feared him."

"They beat him, then prepared to kill him slowly as a warning to other British officials."

"Their swords were raised when the seventeen-year-old girl Zulaika, whom I afterwards met, rushed forward and threw herself across him, crying: 'If you wish to kill the English you must strike through my body.'"

"She was invoking the old custom of the tribe. She had covered Andrews with her body."

"Zulaika stayed by him, helped him find a patrol of his own men searching for him."

"He had Lawrence of Arabia's knack of getting inside the Arab's mentality, out-thinking him."

"Once a woman threatened to start a village war by committing suicide."

"Andrews could not be sure if she was bluffing. He took the 'poison' bottle from her hand and drank it."

"She was laughed out of the village."

"In the 1929 riots Andrews heard that 10,000 Bedouins from Transjordan had massed on the plains below Jericho."

"They had been tricked by a faked photograph of the mosque of Omar with the Jewish flag above it."

"Andrews got their chiefs together, showed how the trick had been played, calmed them with a brilliant speech, persuaded them to go home."

"On that day Andrews saved Palestine."

"We had only 125 British police and a company of R.A.F. armoured cars in the country."

**TOOK A POTION**  
Police officials questioned General Skoblin's wife all day. She took a potion every three hours during the night to quieten her nerves, lying on a bed in a room at police headquarters.

The police are not satisfied with her statements concerning her movements and those of her husband on the night when the two generals vanished.

The police believe that General Skoblin is in hiding with friends. A large number of secret documents seized at his house are being examined.

Mrs. de Miller, the wife of the general, has lodged a formal complaint of abduction with the authorities.

## "ARMY" ANGER AT WHISPERS

### ALLEGED EFFORT TO DESTROY HARMONY

(By F. W. Memory)

INDIGNATION has been aroused throughout the Salvation Army by a "whispering campaign" which, high officials state, has recently been set afoot with the apparent object of destroying the harmony of the organisation.

General Evangeline Booth, the Army leader, is said to have been made the subject of many false reports. It has been suggested that the Army is discontented with her leadership, and fears she is determined to retain the generalship even although advancing years should make her resignation desirable.

There has even been an attempt by public but anonymous advertisement to form a "protective association of Salvation Army officers to safeguard the position," according to officials. Persons interested in such a scheme were invited to "write in strictest confidence" to "Ex-Commissioner," Those who did so have not received replies.

"It can only be assumed," a high officer of the Salvation Army told me yesterday, "that this advertisement and the many baseless suggestions which have been circulated are part of a scheme to discredit the Army with the public. From that aspect the matter is serious, but from every other it is laughable and can be ignored. There has never been greater unity in the Army than there is to-day."

"As to the suggestion that there is discontent with regard to the general, that is absolutely untrue. Neither officially nor unofficially has her tenure of office been discussed."

It is generally admitted that the strain on the Army leader, a present is immense, but no one has suggested that anyone could be more efficient than General Evangeline Booth, who is in her 72nd year.

Her physical fitness is exceptional. "She is a splendid swimmer," said one of her friends, "and only 18 months or so ago, when she was verging on 70, I saw her dive from the high board at the Army Summer Camp at Lake George in the Adirondacks, New York State. Even to-day she is a keen horsewoman, and rides almost every morning."

There is no age limit for a Salvation Army leader. When General Booth wishes to retire she must give six months' notice to the Chief of Staff, Commissioner John McMillan.



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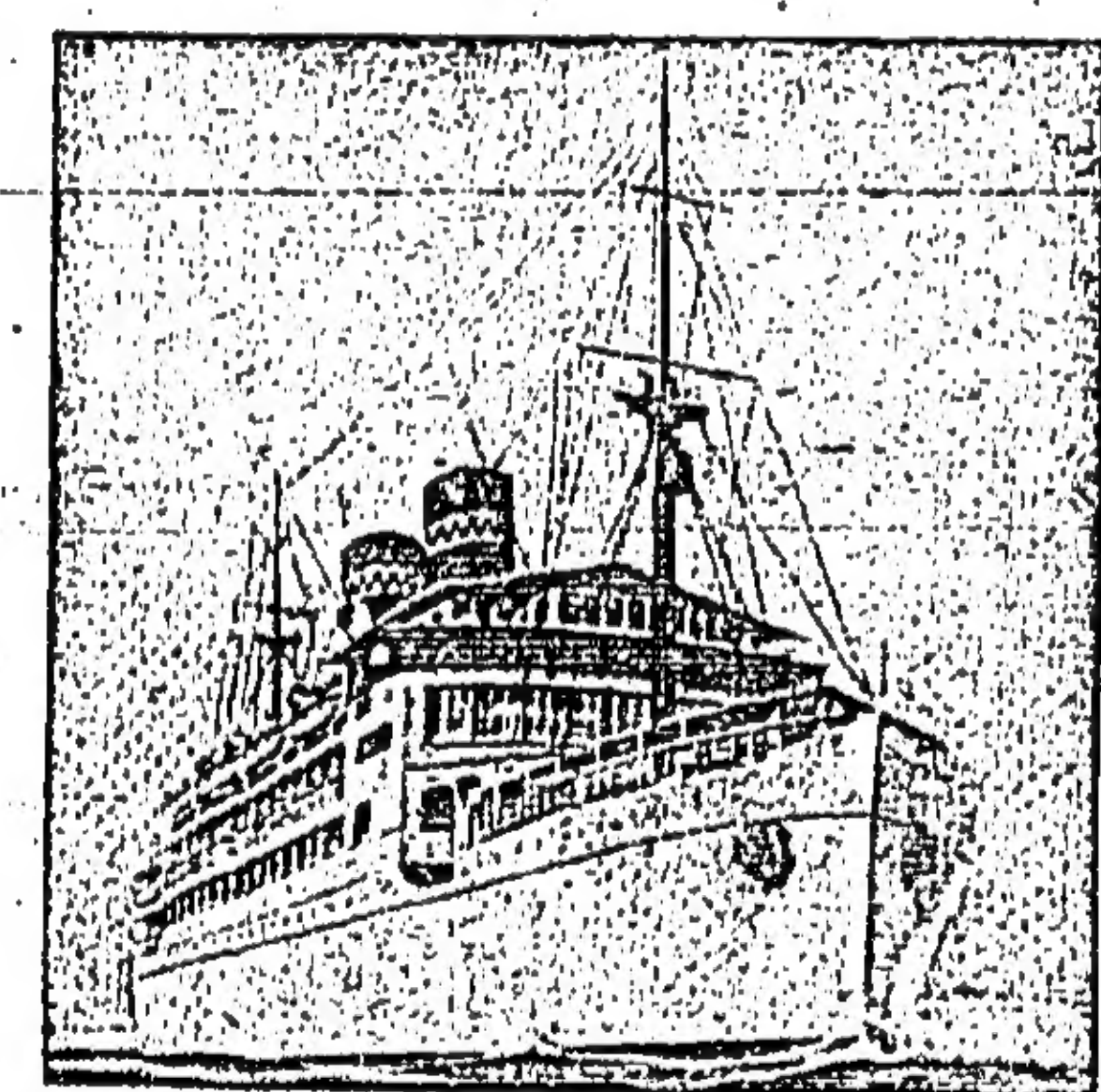
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A WOMAN of 68, mother of eight children, learned that after legal battles in London she is to receive the greater part of £66,000 left by her cousin.

The woman lives in a little house at Westhoughton, Lancs, in which died her relative and friend who left her the fortune.

She is Mrs. Ann Griffin. It was announced in London that she is to receive the greater part of the money left by Miss Mary Brindle who, in the twilight of her life, returned to a house a few doors from that occupied by Mrs. Griffin.

Miss Brindle left £66,077, with net personally of £69,900. Death duty amounted to £11,314. Probate has been granted after judgment had been given in an action—Griffin and another v. Miller and others.

In her will Miss Brindle left the residue of her property to Mrs. Griffin, "who to the date of this my will has nursed me with great care during my long illness."

Mrs. Griffin was not at all excited by the news that she has come into a fortune. "I do not intend to spend the money in rushing about," she said.

"All I desire is to stay in my little house here and to take another holiday in Ireland. There is Irish blood in me and for five or six years I have gone over there to enjoy a holiday."

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G. S. ARCHBUTT,  
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## ITALY BREAKS NON-INTERVENTION DEADLOCK

(Continued from Page 1.)

question of withdrawal of the volunteers from Spain.

They consider the Italian attitude has undergone a process of modification and change from yesterday's non possumus stand, and that this marks gratifying progress.—Reuter.

## Italy More Hopeful

Rome, Oct. 20.

Though Italian political circles are more hopeful, Count Dino Grandi's suggestion that a commission be sent to Spain to study the question of volunteer withdrawal is not thought to make any vital change in the situation. It is considered the move will merely postpone the deadlock.

The despatch of a commission to both sides will be another sign of de facto recognition of General Francisco Franco, insurgent chief, and will make de jure recognition more difficult to refuse. The investigation will also prove the truth of the Italian claim that there are no more insurgent volunteers in Spain than there are on the Valencia side.—Reuter.

## Unstinted Approval

Berlin, Oct. 20.

Unstinted approval of Count Dino Grandi's speech at the Non-Intervention Committee meeting in London is expressed by observers acquainted with the views of the German Foreign Office.

A spokesman declared that Count Grandi's practical and helpful proposal is completely endorsed by Germany, but that it is essential in coming out the foreign volunteers that the political ones should not be forgotten.—Reuter.

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## LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

New York, Oct. 21.

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter:

## New York Cotton

	Opening	Closing
Dec.	8.27/27	8.31/32
Jan.	8.26/26	8.29/29
Mar.	8.23/24	8.25/26
May	8.25/25	8.25/26
July	8.25/26	8.25/26
Oct.	8.37/37	8.37
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The First Notice Day for December Cotton is November 24, with Delivery Date December 1.

## New York Rubber

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Dec.	15.72/72
Jan.	15.95/96
Mar.	15.93/93
May	15.93/93
July	15.93/93
Sept.	15.93/93
Oct.	15.93/93

Sales for the day—5,070 tons

The last Notice Day for October Rubber is October 27.

## Chicago Wheat

	97 1/4/74	98 1/2/74
Dec.	97 1/4/74	98 1/2/74
May	97 1/4/74	98 1/2/74
July	97 1/4/74	98 1/2/74

Tuesday's Sales—37,553,000 bushels.

## Chicago Corn

	59 1/2/34	59 1/2/34
Dec.	59 1/2/34	59 1/2/34
May	59 1/2/34	59 1/2/34
July	59 1/2/34	59 1/2/34

The First Notice Day for December Grains is November 30 and the last day December 20.

## Winnipeg Wheat

	122 1/2/12	125 1/2/12
Oct.	122 1/2/12	125 1/2/12
Dec.	122 1/2/12	125 1/2/12
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Co-ordination  
First Essential

Washington, Oct. 20. Opening the new building of the Federal Reserve Board to-day, President F. D. Roosevelt urged that the Government must co-ordinate credit with other machinery to achieve and maintain enduring prosperity free from disastrous extremes of booms and depressions.

The real mission of the Federal Reserve system was to gain for all people the greatest attainable measure of economic well-being and stability. This goal could not be attained by the Federal Reserve system alone, or without the proper functioning of monetary and credit machinery.

Only by the perfect co-ordination of that machinery with other small instruments of government could America hope to achieve and maintain enduring prosperity, said the President.—Reuter.

Hunt Markets  
For ColoniesHome Government  
Tackles Problem

London, Oct. 20.

The first meeting of the Colonial Empire Marketing Board, the formation of which was announced by Mr. W. Ormsby Gore, Secretary of State for the Colonies on May 6, was held in the Colonial Office to-day.

Mr. Ormsby Gore in his speech said that markets for Colonial produce must be studied and additional outlets found. Therefore he felt sure the Board would not feel it incumbent upon it to try to impart instructions to the tea and rubber companies, for instance, on the markets they thought they should find. Their principal work lay in the field of less important products.

He announced that Sir John Chancellor would be a member of both the Board and the Colonial Development Advisory Committee to ensure close contact and co-operation between the two bodies.—Reuter.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

SWAN, CULBERTSON &amp; FRITZ LATEST REPORTS

New York, Oct. 20.

S. C. & F. Dow Jones Summary of yesterday's markets:

The market to-day was more orderly. The main gain came from a fair amount of margin selling and afternoon profit-taking. This performance heightened the Street, but traders are still cautious regarding anything but a technical postponing and are temporary buyers.

Interest in the day, there was almost a scramble to buy, but thinness developed on the up-side. Bonds and curb stocks were both higher.

S. C. & F. New York correspondent cables:

Stocks: The market is extending its recovery in a normal manner, but may run into resistance at some point above the present levels. Business failures for the week totalled 174. The price of Pittsburgh steel scrap has been reduced by \$1. per ton.

Cotton: The firmness of securities was a steady influence. Inactivity is reported in all branches of the cotton industry. There are unconfirmed reports to the effect that Lancashire spinners are advocating that the British Government should purchase 1,000,000 bales.

Wheat: There have been large exports of Manitoba wheat and a fair export volume of U.S. hard winter wheat. Mill demand is good and cash premiums are strong.

Corn: There is an excellent demand for cash on the South-Western market. A strong delegation of farm leaders has asked for a 60-cent Government loan.

Rubber: Active factory demand absorbed heavy c.i.f. offerings. Quota reductions have been recommended but details are indefinite. Hides: The movement of the securities market was the recent principal influence. Interest in "spots" is increasing, with bids well above futures and offerings well above bids.

Sugar: The market is quiet, but prices are firm on covering by shorts. Sellers to-day were almost entirely absent.

AMERICAN BANKER  
PASSESDistinguished Work  
For Charities

New York, Oct. 20.

The death is announced of Mr. Felix M. Warburg, prominent New York banker, at the age of 66.—Reuter.

The late Mr. Warburg was born a German at Hamburg, but in 1900 he became a naturalised American. He was a member of the banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. since 1898, and subsequently became a Director of the Manhattan Co. and the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company.

He interested himself a great deal in charitable and philanthropic work, being chairman of the Federation for the Support of the Jewish Philanthropic Society, and of the American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee. He was President of the New York Foundation, and Vice-President of the Charities Organisation Society and the Jewish Welfare Board.

He was a member of the American Association for Adult Education, and Director of the Solomon and Betty Loeb Home for Convalescents, the Henry Street Settlement and the Institute of Musical Art, of which he was also President and Treasurer.

He married Frieda, daughter of Jacob H. Schiff of New York, in 1895, their children being Mrs. Carola Rothschild, Frederick M. Warburg, Gerald F. Warburg, Paul F. S. Warburg and Edward M. M. Warburg.

France Denies  
Haiphong Gets  
Arms for China

Paris, Oct. 20.

Categorical denial is given in French official quarters to the report circulated by a Japanese news agency that war material is being landed at Haiphong, in French Indo-China, for transport to China.—Reuter.

Jean Batten  
Leaves Rangoon  
For Allahabad

Rangoon, Oct. 21.

Jean Batten, famous aviatrix, resumed her record flight attempt from Australia to England when she left here for Allahabad at 3.11 a.m. local time.—Reuter.

APPEALS FOR  
FUNDS TO AID  
WAR VICTIMS

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Birmingham, Cardiff, and Plymouth associated themselves with him in this national appeal.

A strong committee has been formed representing the British, Red Cross, the Chinese Association, and the British Missionary Societies, with Lord Donoughmore as chairman, to receive funds.

The organisation in China to administer the funds will be as previously announced, a committee headed by the British Ambassador, assisted by the Governor of Hongkong.

A letter from the Lord Mayor of London reiterating his appeal will appear in all the daily papers tomorrow.—Reuter.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS  
COMMUNICATION

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong radio station: Minoo Maru, Empress Of Canada, Victoria, Taitung, Swarthmore, President McKinley, Kitano Maru, Ranchi, Houtman, Dalkolsten, Maru, Hector, Proteus, Fernside, Cornbank, Skarans, Hallice, and Kamo Maru.

## EXCHANGE

	Selling	Buying
T.T. London	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Shanghai	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Singapore	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Japan	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. India	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Manila	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Batavia	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Saigon	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. France	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Germany	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Switzerland	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
T.T. Australia	1s. 2 1/2	1s. 2 1/2
4 m/s L/C London	1/34	1/34
4 m/s D/P do	1/34	1/34
4 m/s L/C U.S.A.	1/34	1/34
4 m/s do do	1/34	1/34
U.S. Cross rate in London	4.9 1/2	4.9 1/2

WALL STREET  
REBOUNDS  
AFTER SLUMP

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for the similar period yesterday.—Reuter Special.

## STRENGTH IN LONDON

London, Oct. 20. The Stock Exchange fluctuated narrowly and indecisively throughout today's session, apart from a few of yesterday's chief sufferers, which recorded a good recovery.

The market burst into activity following the news of the constructive Italian move for non-intervention, brisk dealings in which prices tended sharply upwards. Wall Street displayed strength.

With necessary selling readily absorbed, the market soared on a broad front.

Some foreign buying was discernible, and leading industrialists recorded advances ranging from five to seven points.—Reuter's Special.

## BINGHAM BLAMES BANKERS

New York, Oct. 20. Mr. Robert W. Bingham, United States Ambassador to Britain, before sailing on the Queen Mary for England to-day, said there was no justification for the current stock market decline.

He blamed the bankers and brokers for attacking the Government for the conditions which they themselves had brought about.

Mr. Bingham was optimistic in regard to the European situation, and said he was of the opinion that war was very improbable.—Reuter.

SCHOOL CRICKET  
Good Bowling Keeps  
Scoring Down

Despite a contribution of 22 runs from J. Gosano, who later went on to take five wickets for 12 runs, La Salle College failed against Queen's College yesterday by four runs.

Queen's won mainly through the efforts of N. Singh who, after scoring 21, bowled well to take four wickets for 17. K. M. Ramjiah took four wickets for 33. Scores:

	Runs	Wickets
K. M. Ramjiah, c. C. L. Arculli	9	4
T. Singh, c. Marquis b. Gosano	10	1
C. L. Arculli, b. Singh	10	1
T. Singh, c. Gosano b. Ramjiah	10	1
M. Curran, c. Arculli	10	1
N. Singh, c. Silva b. Ramjiah	10	1
S. Singh, b. Gosano	10	1
R. A. Bux, b. Ramjiah	10	1
J. Singh, not out	10	1
F. C. Ramjiah, run out	10	1
W. Hailford, not out	10	1
Extras	10	1
Total	101	1

	Bowling Analysis	R	W
N. Singh	0.1	21	4
K. M. Ramjiah	0.1	17	4

## DIOCESAN BOYS WIN

The Diocesan Boys School scored a brilliant win over the R.A.M.C. yesterday on the School ground, when, after being faced with a total of 151, they passed it with seven wickets in hand. The runs were scored in 80 minutes, F. Lay and A. Prata putting up a first wicket partnership of 79 in less than an hour.

For the Army Capt. Harvey was not out with 99, assisted by C. B. S. Patterson (11), C. B. S. Sargent took five for 59 and C. Matthews three for 50.

The School's innings closed at 101 for three, F. Lay scoring 60, A. Prata 38, C. B. S. Sargent 29 not out and C. B. S. Sargent 29 not out. C. B. S. Sargent took two for 50.

## CLUB TEAMS CHOSEN

The Hongkong Cricket Club's teams for Saturday, October 23, for matches starting at 2 p.m., have been chosen as follows:

First Eleven v. Kowloon (Away).—A. W. Hayward, H. Owen Hughes, T. A. Pearce, A. C. Bowker, H. L. Hayman, P. H. Scoones, F. H. Stokes, G. A. Stewart and L. D. Kilbee.

Second Eleven v. Indian R.C. (Home).—E. J. R. Mitchell, A. K. Mackenzie, V. C. Bond, R. M. King, Mackenzie, D. Robb, C. E. Gahagan, M. R. Swain, W. Wooding, B. D. Peterson and M. Barton.

## BOWLS SEASON

A lawn bowls match has been arranged at the Civil Service Cricket Club for Saturday, October 23, to mark the closing day of the lawn bowls season.

The Committee of the Club have issued an invitation to wives and lady friends of the gentlemen playing in the above match, to be present at the Club on Saturday and participate in tennis.

## POST OFFICE.

## POSTAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Public are reminded that the postage on Printed Papers, Commercial Papers, Samples and Small Packets must be fully prepaid. Insufficiently prepaid Printed Papers etc. are not forwarded.

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## INWARD MAILS

Straits and Europe via Negapatam (Letters only) London date, 23rd September.	Calchas	October
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, and Japan (Vancouver B.C. 2nd October).	Emp. of Canada	October
Shanghai and Swatow	Hoihow	October
Bangkok	Kalgan	October
Al Mail by "Pan-American Air- ways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 13th October.	Pan-American Airways Plane	October
Japan	Potsdam	October
Shanghai and Swatow	Kiingyuan	October
Japan	Kitano Maru	October
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Francisco, 25th September).	Pres. Hoover	October
Manila	Pres. McKinley	October
U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan (San Francisco, 25th September)	Pres. Monroe	October
Java	Tjinegara	October
Shanghai and Foochow	Tainan	October

## OUTWARD MAILS

Registered and Parcel Mails are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per Thursday.	Date and Time.
Straits and Calcutta	Telma	Thurs., Oct. 21.
Parcels	Ord.	Oct. 21



## BITTER SHANSI FIGHTING

Chinese Claim Many Successes

Nanking, Oct. 19. According to military reports received here from Shansi, the Chinese forces scored another victory in eastern Shansi to-day with the capture of Tancheng and Tancheng, both towns west of Pingyuan Pass.

The Japanese are retreating towards Taying and are being hotly pursued by the Chinese.

In addition to the capture of two strategic towns last week, Laiyuan and Kwangling, the Chinese took 23 Japanese soldiers prisoners. They also seized 145 horses, 80 supply carts, and a huge quantity of munitions and other supplies.—Central News.

### COUNTER-OFFENSIVE

Taiyuan, Oct. 20. Assisted with field guns and howitzers, the Chinese forces are launching a counter-offensive for the recapture of Tancheng, 75 miles north of Taiyuan.

Chinese forces are also storming a point between Tating and Huanfen, north-east Shansi, in order to cut through the Japanese cordon and then turn north to harass Tating. Artillery, cavalry and infantry units have effected co-ordination in this attack.

Japanese engineers in Tating have suspended the preliminary exploration of coal mines and returned to Kaiyuan for fear of Chinese recapture of the former city.—International News.

### JAPANESE RETIRING

Shanghai, Oct. 20 (7.55 p.m.). Japanese in Shantung are withdrawing northward, according to a foreign report from Tsinanfu. The Japanese forces have made a big advance towards Tachow from the Tachow River, encountering little opposition.

The report gives political reasons for this development, although other sources indicate that activity of Chinese mobile units in Hopei has compelled the Japanese to shorten their lines of communication in Tsinan railway zone.

Chinese on the Tsin-Pu railway have advanced seven miles north of Pingyuan, according to Chinese military reports. Guerrilla warfare by Chinese mobile units is constantly harassing the Japanese rear.—Reuter.

## New C-In-C. Named For China Fleet

London, Oct. 20. Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Noble has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, in succession to Admiral Sir Charles Little. Sir Percy assumes command about April next.—Reuter.

Sir Charles Little who was born in Shanghai, was appointed to the China Station last year. He is at present on board H. M. S. Cumberland at Shanghai.

His successor has been Fourth Sea Lord and Chief of Supplies and Transport since 1935. Sir Percy entered the Navy in 1894 and after serving with the Grand Fleet during the entire duration of the War he was Director of the Operations Division, Admiralty Naval Staff, from 1928 to 1930. He was Director of Naval Equipment in 1931-32, and Rear-Admiral commanding the 2nd Cruiser Squadron in 1932-34.

In 1929 Admiral Noble was Naval A. D. C. to His Majesty the King.

### L.S.D. OF THE B.B.C.

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Also, when saturation point in listening is reached the B.B.C. will find that the profits from its numerous publications have attained their peak.

During the ten years ending December 1936, B.B.C. Journals, pamphlets, and books showed a profit of £2,750,000, so they are no inconsiderable part of the Corporation's structure.

### Put Off

Lack, or at least "lightness" of money, has already had effects on British broadcasting policy. In 1935 it was announced that work would start on a 100 per cent. extension to Broadcasting House in the spring of this year. Now, this scheme has been shelved.

Shelved, too, are plans for new transmitters in the West of England, for a new studio centre in Northern Ireland, and for development of the London variety and drama departments.

When radio artists hint that they would appreciate larger fees, B.B.C. officials become tactful and apologetic. And a few "star" producers, who have for a long time enjoyed a reasonably free hand in financing their programmes, now find that a watchful eye is kept on their disbursements from higher up in the B.B.C. hierarchy.

Finally, to some extent, the listener suffers, as he must always in the long run. It is up to him to see where an important 10s. of his hard-earned money goes.

J. D.

## Two Japanese Bombers Brought Down

North Station Hit In Shai Raids

Nanking, Oct. 20. The Chinese Air Force Headquarters announced to-day that during the Japanese aerial bombardment yesterday over Chapel, two planes were shot down by Chinese anti-aircraft guns. One of the machines fell at Chingpu the other on the Pootung side.—Central News.

### NORTH STATION STRUCK

Shanghai, Oct. 20. It is now learned that during the air raid over Shanghai yesterday Japanese planes dropped three incendiary bombs which scored direct hits on the recently-completed North Station Building. However, up till this morning the building was still standing.—Central News.

### POSITIONS BOMBED

Shanghai, Oct. 20 (6.30 a.m.). Over 30 Japanese planes bombed the Chinese positions at dawn, after which they scattered handbills.—United Press.

### COMMERCIAL PRESS

Damage Estimated At \$3,500,000 Shanghai, Oct. 19. Total losses suffered by the Commercial Press, Ltd., as a result of the bombing of its main plant on Pao-shan Road, are estimated to be well over \$3,500,000, according to a Chinese report to-day. Plans are being made for the establishment of branch printing plants in the interior.

The firm maintains two emergency plants in the Settlement on Bubbling Well Road and Kiuksiang Road. Four-fifths of the workers were temporarily discharged and the firm now employs only some 300 workers at these two emergency plants. The various magazines published by the firm are being printed in Shanghai.

According to present plans, the firm will move its main plant to Changsha in Hunan. A branch printing plant will also be established in Hongkong in addition to a warehouse in Hankow.—International News.

### RADIO BROADCAST

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'On With The Show'—Selection (Vocalist: Sam Costi); Boo-Hoo (Heyman-Lombardo-Lock); Delyse (Gilbert-Nicholls); In A Gypsy Caravan (Bulter-Damrell-Myers) (Vocalist: Fred Douglas and Jack Hodges).

10.12 Songs by Dennis Noble (Baritone).

The Rebel; Son O' Mine (both from 'Frederic Songs'—W. Wallace).

10.18 Violin Solos.

Menue (D. E. Nash); Hungarian Dance No. 5 (Brahms); Wolf; Cardas (Monti); Madrigale (Simonetti); ... Yvonne Curli.

10.30 Dance Music.

Quickstep—Wabash Blues; Fox-Trot—Sweet Georgia Brown; Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins; Tango—A Media Luz; Rumba Fox-Trot—La Cucaracha; Overture—Robert F. Simpson; Waltz—Midnight Waltz; Neapolitan Nights; Fox-Trot—Darktown Strutters' Ball; A Broken Doll; Darktown Strutters; Waltz—A Gift From Heaven; Rumba—Spanish Juke (from 'Transatlantic Rhythm')—Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

11 Close Down.

### DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

7.30 a.m. Empire Exchange.

7.45 a.m. Reginald Foort, at the BBC Theatre Organ. The Music of a Doreen British Composer.

8.5 a.m. Scenes from 'The Winter's Tale' by William Shakespeare.

8.40 a.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 8.45 a.m.

9 a.m. Big Ben Round and About.

9.10 a.m. Sporting News.

10 a.m. Big Ben. Food for Thought.

10.20 a.m. The BBC Empire Orchestra.

11.10 a.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 11.15 a.m.

11.30 a.m. At the Black Dog.

12 p.m. Big Ben. A Radio Revue, presented by Charles Rose.

4 p.m. Food for Thought.

4.20 p.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 4.30 p.m.

4.35 p.m. Musical Comedy.

4.45 p.m. Big Ben. Swift Serenade.

7.15 p.m. 'On the Boat'—J. J.

7.30 p.m. Felton Ripley, at the Organ of the Westminster Palace, Westminster.

8 p.m. Frank Riffe's Brass Quintet.

8.20 p.m. 'At the Black Dog'—Mr. Wilkes at home in his own bar-parlour.

8 p.m. Musical Interlude.

10 p.m. Food for Thought.

10.20 p.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 9.45 p.m.

10.15 p.m. Big Ben. British Dance Bands.

10.40 p.m. Scenes from 'The Winter's Tale' by William Shakespeare.

11.15 p.m. The Portsmouth Municipal Orchestra.

12 a.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 12.15 a.m.

12.20 a.m. The Bath Pump Music Orchestra.

12.30 a.m. Selections from Musical Comedy.

1.30 a.m. 'At the Black Dog'.

2 a.m. Big Ben. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 2.15 a.m.

2.25 a.m. 'Green Fields and Pavements'.

2.45 a.m. Reginald Foort, at the BBC Theatre Organ.

3 a.m. 'Trafalgar Day'.

3.25 a.m. Recital of English Folk-songs.

3.45 a.m. 'Eight Dells' (Sixth Edition).

4.45 a.m. Interval.

5 a.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 5.15 a.m.

5.20 a.m. Northern Music Hall.

5.30 a.m. 'Lullaby'—Lester.

6.25 a.m. Light Music Through the Ages (2).



Claimed by the critics to be one of the smartest dancing teams to visit Hongkong, the American Worth Sisters, will open a season at the Gloucester Hotel to-morrow night.

## Passengers Hide From Air Raider

Kowloon-Bound Express Near Bomb Targets

Passengers from Canton on the night express yesterday had an eventful journey, as they passed over Shekling bridge five minutes before the vicinity was bombed, and at one stage of the trip it was thought that there were air raids ahead of and behind them.

The train, scheduled to leave Canton at 3.30 did not leave until 5 as the "all clear" signal had not been given. The drone of aeroplanes was heard just after crossing the Shekling bridges and passengers declared they heard the sound of the explosions behind them.

Before reaching Cheungmukuk word was received that that town was again being bombed. The train was stopped and all passengers took to the fields and sheltered in trees and hedges. The report, however, is believed to be unfounded.

The train reached Kowloon at 9.35, about two hours late.

## Bloodhounds Hunt Bomb Thrower

Jerusalem, Oct. 20.

Police bloodhounds to-day sought a man wounded in a premature explosion of a bomb he was attempting to throw at British police en route to camp at Mount Scopus.

In the meantime the police have imposed a collective fine of \$10,000 on Bedouin tribesmen as a result of radio damages in Dairhes. The fine is payable in sheep and goats.

Bruira Gombess, a Jewish communist agent, has been deported to Roumania.—United Press.

### POLICE ESCAPE

Jerusalem, Oct. 20.

A detachment of police at Haifa had a narrow escape from death to-day when a bomb was thrown at them as they were taking up their post in an outpost.

Police had an encounter with snipers at Bethlehem, and the Iraq pipe line was pierced through by rifle fire near Nazareth.

The Italian press denounces British reprisals in Palestine and the French press, speaking from a different angle, says—"Behind the agitation and revolt of the Arabs in Palestine can be seen the hand of Italy, whose agents are stirring up trouble among the Arabs against the British Government."—Reuter Bulletin.

## PROMINENT SCIENTIST MOURNED

Lord Rutherford Dies At 68

London, Oct. 20.

By the death of Lord Rutherford yesterday at the age of 68, New Zealand has lost a most distinguished son and the world one of its greatest scientists. He was the greatest experimental physicist since Faraday and a famous figure in the field of radio activity.

Born in New Zealand and educated at Nelson College and Canterbury College, Christchurch, he graduated at the University of New Zealand and went to Trinity College, Cambridge. In the Cavendish Laboratory there under Sir J. J. Thomson he began his career of research which had such important results.

He was knighted in 1914 and in 1919 was Cavendish Professor of Experimental Physics. Six years ago he was raised to the Peerage. He received a great number of honours and distinctions at home and abroad, including the Nobel Chemistry Prize and Order of Merit. He was President of the British Association in 1923 and of the Royal Society in 1925.—Reuter Bulletin.

### SCIENTISTS' TRIBUTES

London, Oct. 20.

Eminent scientists pay the highest tribute to Lord Rutherford's work.

Sir Oliver Lodge said his death was a terrible loss to New Zealand and the whole world.

Sir Joseph Thomson, Master of Trinity College, Cambridge, said his death was one of the greatest losses that had ever occurred to British science.

Sir William Bragg, President of the Royal Society said—"In every place where learning is honoured there will be sadness and a sense of heavy loss. His noble contributions to knowledge have been the inspiration of innumerable workers and the foundation for a vast series of researches."—British Wireles.

### MR. C. FICKERT

San Francisco, Oct. 19.

The death has occurred of Mr. Charles M. Fickert, aged 63. Death was due to pneumonia after an illness of several weeks.

The late Mr. Fickert prosecuted and convicted Money and Billings in connection with the Preparedness Day bombing in San Francisco in 1916.—United Press.

### DEATH IN TYPHOON

A verdict of death by misadventure was returned by a jury comprising Messrs. M. Nemuzee (Foreman), M. V. Neves and A. J. Hussain, at the conclusion of an inquiry held at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon into the death of Tong Cheung To, who died following the fire at No. 134 Connaught Road West during the height of the typhoon on the early morning of September 2. Mr. W. Schofield sat as Coroner.

# U.B.

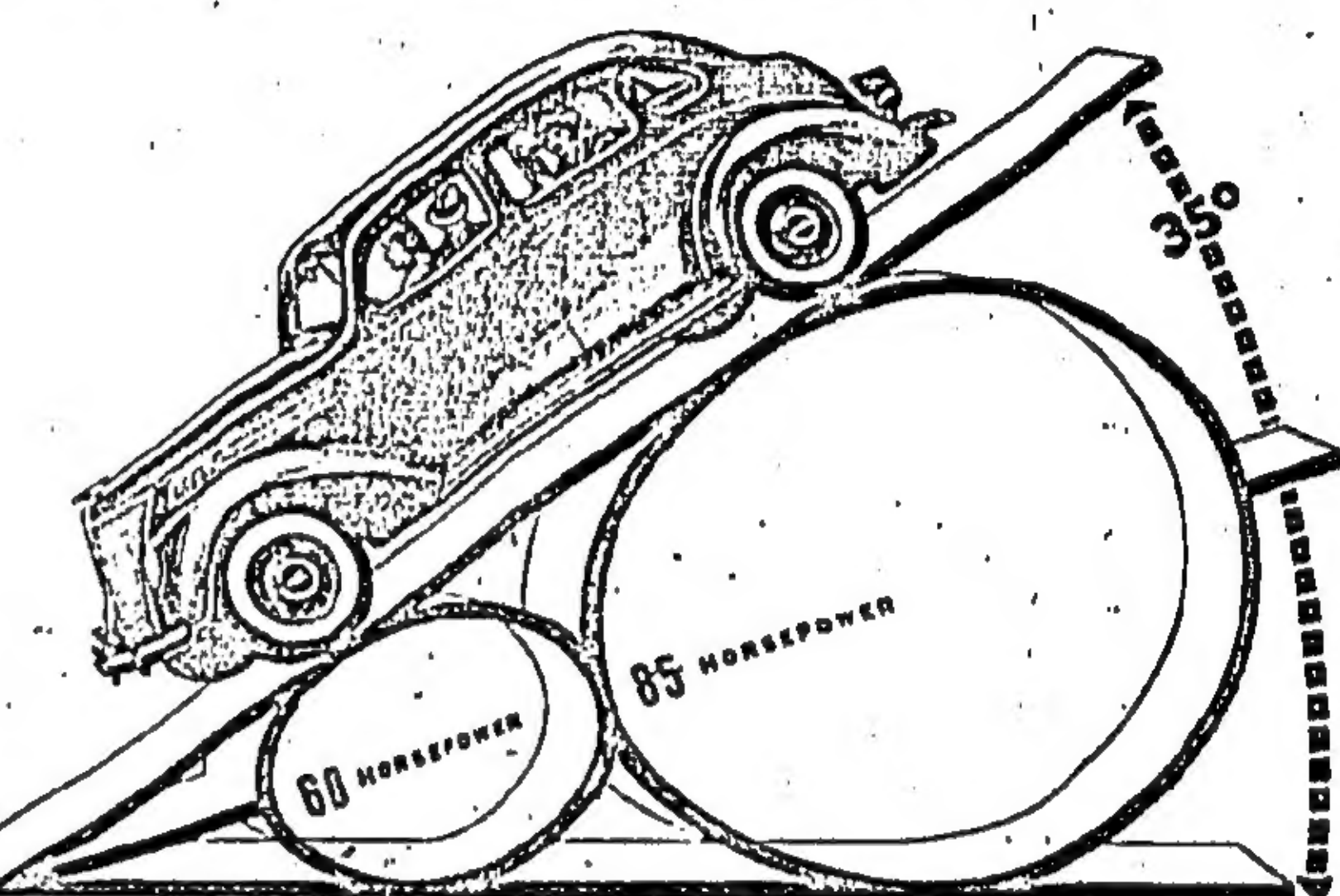
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**China's Expectations**

The word has been passed, and Republican Party leaders in the United States, with the advocates of American Isolationism, are in full cry. Led by Governor Alfred Landon, Republican candidate for the Presidency in the last election, they are tearing to pieces the carefully constructed policy of President Roosevelt who—has pledged the United States to defend the sanctity of treaties and to use his influence to end aggression. President Roosevelt is accused of assuming the responsibility of a one-man Government and abusing the powers vested in his office. The critics warn that a mistake on his part may lead the country into war.

On the face of things, President Roosevelt is in a shock-proof position as far as his foreign policy is concerned. In the first place, he has made no positive commitments. He is sending a representative to the Brussels conference, but that does not even mean that the United States Administration will back action the powers decide upon there—if any action is taken. Mediation is his intention. There is no suggestion that the United States, or any other power, will take drastic steps to curb Japanese aggression, or that the "quarantine" which President Roosevelt suggested as a means of ending violations of treaties and defending obligations of all sorts in the future will be put forward as a remedy in the present case. It is a pity, but for all the fine phrases spoken on China's behalf, extolling the virtue of her cause and condemning her opponent's, there is small prospect of the Brussels conference doing anything more than expressing disapproval of the whole affair, and of Japan's irresponsibility. President Roosevelt's critics are a little previous.

But if China is to be disappointed by the result of the Brussels conference, she may find reason to congratulate herself on the turn of events in the direction of Urga. There, reports yesterday indicated, things are moving with rapidity. The predicted Japanese move in Outer Mongolia appears to be gaining momentum, with Prince Teh definitely supporting the

**TO-DAY** is pay day on the Stock Exchange.

Once every fortnight the Stock Exchange has a settlement when all the business carried out during the previous fortnight has to be squared up.

Genuine investors pay for their purchases and speculators collect their profits or pay their losses.

To-day's pay day will be one of the largest for some time, as the losses of speculators who have been caught out in the recent slump on Wall-street run into many millions.

What is all this slump about?

When the man in the street opens his morning paper nowadays, so often as not the headlines tell him Stock Exchange prices have slumped again, while in the next column another headline announces that company profits have risen to new record levels.

He finds these announcements hard to reconcile.

I don't blame him.

**STOCK EXCHANGES** are peculiar places inhabited by rather peculiar people.

The London Stock Exchange has over 5,000 members herded together in an out-of-date building much smaller than the Albert Hall.

Communication with the outside world is mainly by telephone. Stockbrokers seldom, if ever, go near the company in whose fortunes they are interested.

Japanese cause against Russia and China. It is fairly obvious, from the first meagre messages, that Japanese influence at the Outer Mongolian capital is in the ascendancy, and will continue so. But as Japanese prestige grows in that area, so the danger of a collision with Russian interests increases.

It is certain that Russia will do everything possible to keep out of trouble in Mongolia and Siberia, and her severance of treaty bonds with Mongolia, guaranteeing assistance against any attack by a third power, is highly significant, if true. The Russian retreat is not altogether dignified. But Russia's caution is due to her fear of attack on another frontier, and until conditions are more certain elsewhere she will be slow to move to resist Japan's expanding influence. With Italian and German support at Brussels, Japan would feel her position more secure, but she is carrying her campaign into a place of deadly diplomatic quagmires when she tampers with Mongolian autonomy and Russian sovereignty.

**NOTE:** This article was written three weeks ago, when the first signs of the slump on the American Stock Exchanges made themselves apparent. However, in view of yesterday's reports from Wall Street, the article is very timely and informative.

**Plain Man's  
guide to a  
Stock Exchange  
Panic**

by  
**STEWART GILLIES**  
Daily Express City Editor

Few, if any, can tell the difference between a blast furnace and a coke oven, and not one in a hundred has ever been down a coal mine, although they are now strongly recommending coal shares to their clients.

The bulk of their news they gather from each other. As with all gossip, the final story bears little relation to the original.

The result is that if Wall-street falls London falls, and vice versa.

Price movements under such conditions are usually so exaggerated that they take little account of the realities of the situation. For example, in the summer of 1929 American securities were pushed up by over-exuberant speculators to such an extent that the dividend return in many cases was reduced to around 1 per cent.

In October of that year Wall-street crashed. For days on end prices of the leading securities fell by 20 to 30 points, until eventually it was possible to buy the shares of many first-class companies at prices which represented less than the cash in the companies' till.

The sensible investor who took advantage of these abnormal conditions to purchase such stocks was, therefore, paying nothing for a share in the plant, machinery and other assets of businesses, which in many cases were worth some millions of pounds.

In London during the course of the past year prices of many shares were forced up to levels where prospects and dividends were discounted many years ahead.

As a result of the recent setback, however, many shares are to-day giving yields which are undoubtedly attractive in view of the favourable trading outlook.

But booms and slumps seem to me to be due in part to the make-up of the Stock Exchange itself.

In the first place the stock-broker needs no qualifications whatsoever for his job. If a young man is a failure in other walks of life and can find a certain amount of capital, he can always as a last resort go on the Stock Exchange on a half-commission basis.

He is then in a position to pose as a pundit and advise people what they should do with their life savings.

He need know nothing about business, economics, foreign exchanges, accountancy or law. All he needs is a few wealthy friends and the gift of salesmanship.

Such a state of affairs is not tolerated in any other profession, and should not be allowed on the Stock Exchange. Even the intelligent minority of brokers who do know something of what is happening in the world find it difficult enough to be right about investment matters, and agree with this view.

In financial affairs, as in politics, there will always be exaggerated hopes and fears. But with better training on the part of the salesmen there might be fewer booms, but there would almost certainly be fewer slumps, in security prices.

**WE** would pay more attention to the forebodings and elations of stock-brokers and the fluctuations of the Stock Exchange as genuine indications of the trend of trade and international affairs, if stockbrokers would make a real effort to learn more about the major industries of the country. If they would get out and about more.

If entrance to the Stock Exchange was made conditional on knowledge of the subjects on which you propose to charge for your advice.

If there was established a school for young stockbrokers, the curriculum of which would include world finance, economics, accountancy and company law.

**L.S.D. OF THE B.B.C.**

**RESPONSIBLE** officials of the B.B.C. are seriously concerned about the state of the Corporation's exchequer; they see a financial crisis ahead.

Many people were surprised last April when the price of the radio licence was not increased. They believed that the Chancellor of the Exchequer, faced with the task of raising national revenue, would turn his eyes to that 10s and be persuaded that it might well become 15s. or a £1.

That did not happen. But there is good reason for believing that the licence fee may soon be increased to help the national Exchequer, but the B.B.C. An increase of only half-a-crown, if all of it went to the Corporation, would swell its income by £1,000,000 a year.

Television has proved the radio bogey. When Parliament reassembles it is probable that the B.B.C. will ask the Government to provide a quick decision by the Television Advisory Committee as to how the London television station shall continue to be financed.

Service from the Alexandra Palace, since it began in November last, has swallowed £200,000. Two hours of television daily for six days a week has cost that sum.

**Costly Baby**

The B.B.C.'s troubles began to appear in the latter half of last year. By December, £124,000 had been spent on television. The Corporation regarded that figure with misgiving and stated openly that it was no guide to future costs; it included a good deal of money spent on preparatory work and tests, charges which, generally, should not have to be incurred again. But 1938 saw only two months television service.

The B.B.C. in both their spoken and their written word, are very discreet. But it is obvious where they consider a remedy lies for their

**British Radio's  
Handicap**

financial embarrassment. It is in that part of the money derived from the issue of licences that the Treasury has hands on.

When you push a 10s note over a post office counter and get in return a radio licence, a shilling of your money goes to the Post Office to pay for collection expenses and one or two minor services; 9s. 6d. goes straight to the national Exchequer; 7s. 6d. goes to Broadcasting House.

It is doubtful whether even a Treasury official could justify the 15 per cent. deduction from each licence fee which his department carries out. One may say, there is never any morality in taxation. If that is so, it is time a little was introduced.

To the plain man who does not work in Whitehall it appears rather unfair to take part of the fee paid for a specific service and to apply it to entirely different ends.

**Nine Million Sets**

Whether or not this was what the Ulsterwater Committee thought, one cannot say. As everyone knows, this Committee last year surveyed the whole of the B.B.C.'s activities and standing, in preparation for the new (1937) charter, the previous one (of 1927) expiring on December 31, 1936.

The Committee recommended that for the next ten years 75 per cent. of total licence fees should go to the B.B.C. for purposes other than television, and that the remainder (minus the Post Office costs) should be available for broadcasting if it were needed.

The Government read the Ulsterwater Committee's report, "OK," the 75 per cent., but decided that the portion should provide for sound and vision services. The Treasury smiled.

The general public should be interested in what happens to the money it spends on radio licences. By the end of this year it is estimated, nine million radio sets will be in use in Great Britain, and still more in the Empire will pay £4,500,000 for permits to listen-in.

If the B.B.C. were to receive 90 per cent. of each licence fee its income would be increased by £750,000 over the figure holding under the present arrangement.

The alternative, in order to place the B.B.C. finances on a more satisfactory basis, is to charge more for the radio licence. But there is no apparent reason why this should happen while roughly £500,000 annually is being diverted from its more proper purpose.

In the next few months the matter is likely to develop into a tug-of-war between the Treasury and the public, with the Treasury 15 per cent. used as the rope.

Alarm at Broadcasting House is aggravated by one or two other facts. For instance, soon after the number of sets in use in this country will reach saturation point, reckoned at 10,000,000.

Radio manufacturers do not regard this with much misgiving, for they are banking on a "fashion" in radio—on people changing their sets annually as nowadays they tend to change their cars.

But, in the case of the B.B.C., saturation point will mean that the Corporation cannot look forward every year to a steady increase in licence revenue. Income at January 1927 was £400,000; by 1936 it had risen to £2,510,000; comparatively soon it will reach a point from which, conceivably, it will fall slightly.

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# CONVICTS BUY TOBACCO WITH FIRST WAGES

## "My Lady Nicotine" Proves Too Strong For Them

THREE HUNDRED convicts in Dartmoor prison have just received their first payment under the new system of wages for men undergoing penal servitude.

To avoid traffic in old coins which might be taken into the jail, the men were paid in 1937 pennies.

Many of them were handling money for the first time since their imprisonment. Some broke down and wept, says the *Daily Express*.

A provision van, packed with the little luxuries the convicts are allowed to buy, arrived in the outer courtyard.

### 250 PIPES SOLD

When the convicts' orders were opened it was found that nearly ninety per cent. of them had asked for tobacco and pipes.

So 250 cherrywood pipes and several pounds of twist tobacco and shag were delivered, and soon the smell of tobacco filled the men's cells.

Within an hour of receiving their pipes half the convicts were ill. The strong tobacco was too much for them.

Men can now smoke anywhere in the prison except chapel and one of two other prohibited areas. But as

70 per cent. of them will receive less than 6d. a week they will have to make their tobacco "go a long way"—even though they buy it at the reduced price of 7d. an ounce.

The few convicts who did not buy tobacco bought small quantities of jam, butter and other provisions not on the ordinary prison diet.

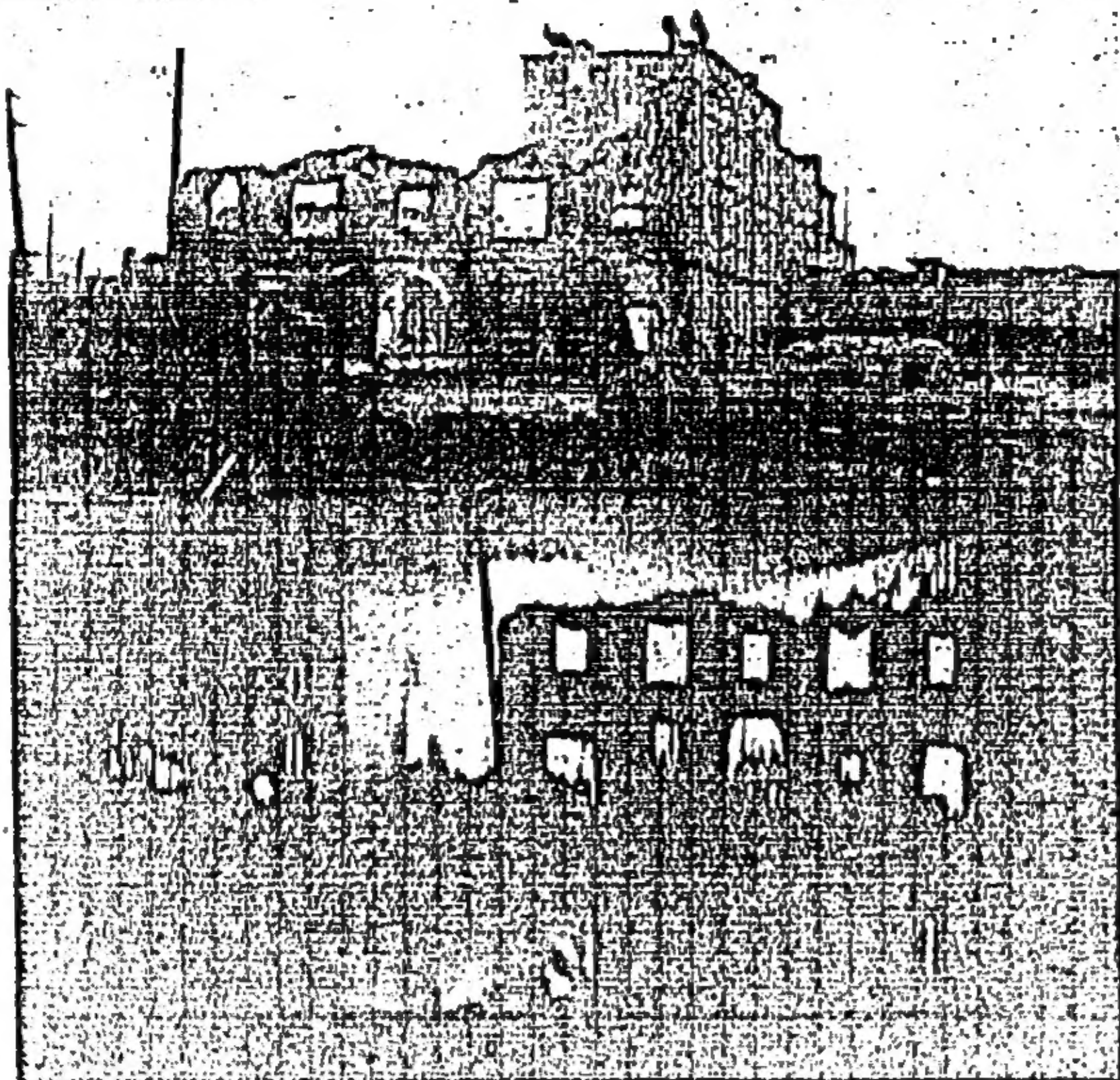
### 7d. A WEEK

When the prison governor, Major C. T. Pinnell, made his round during the morning he was cheered wildly by groups of convicts, despite warders' attempts to restrain them.

The rates of payment to the men are: During the first eighteen months 3s.6d. or 7d. a week according to their occupation; during the following year an increase of 2d. a week; and during the following eighteen months an increase of 1d. a week; and for the remainder of their sentence an addition of 1d. a week.

The wages system has been introduced as part of new prison reforms.

## FLOUR MILL CUTTED BY FIRE



An enormous conflagration, following heavy bombing of the vicinity, completely destroyed the Tsong Hua Flour Mill, situated in Chapel about 750 yards north-west of the Ichang Road Fire Station, across the Seeshow Creek. Great anxiety for the safety of an oil mill near the site of the flour mill was felt by the officers of the Sixth Marines, occupying the sector on the Settlement side, with the result that Settlement firemen rendered assistance in preventing the fire from spreading. Above two pictures give an idea of the fire and the damage done.

## INVENTOR MAKES BIBLES INTO ARMAMENTS

A FORTUNE is being made by a man of 77 who, after 16 years of self imposed poverty, living on £2 a week, invented and patented a method of turning old Bibles into gun-cotton, artificial silk, cellulose, and expensive note paper.

His machinery has already been installed at a Cardiff factory and at eight others in various parts of the country where armaments are being made from ancient Testaments.

The inventor is Mr. Edward H. Partington, Surbiton, Surrey. Already he is making £75 a week. The old Bibles are bought for 15s. a ton.

When war broke out in 1914 Mr. Partington was employed in Germany at a salary of £10,000 a year. He lost his job and his money at the age of fifty-four. Now, in his old age, he is getting it back again.

"Grey-haired Mr. Partington told his story to a *Daily Express* reporter. "When I lost my job," he said, "I came back to Manchester my home."

"In Germany I had realised the possibilities of old paper. The prob-

lem was to turn it into pulp and to get rid of the ink.

"I got a job at £20 a week but lived on £2, spending the rest on my experiments. For sixteen years I worked at it without success.

"Then, when I was seventy-five, I succeeded. The simple method of removing the colour from old paper suddenly came to me two years ago.

"Next Christmas my wife and I are going for a world cruise. We've been married fifty-two years, and only her courage has kept me going."

## GABLE NOT ENOUGH ENGLISH

There's a first-class controversy in the R.A.F. You can hear the Air Marshals mutter: "Damn, sir, who is this Clark Gable?"

THE trouble is Clark Gable isn't English enough for the Air Ministry.

It happened this way:

### FILMING THE R.A.F.

Some time ago the Air Ministry decided it would be a good thing to have a first-class film dealing with life in the R.A.F. Mr. Michael Balcon, British producer for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, submitted a story called "Shadow of the Wing," and eventually it was decided to base the film on this.

After that came the real trouble. The "hero" was to be a British Air Force officer, and M.G.-M. suggest Clark Gable or Spencer Tracy. Air Ministry officials demurred, suggesting that it would be better not to have an American to take the lead, though it was suggested that Clark Gable would be the biggest box-office draw. Many discussions followed.

### NOT REJECTED—YET

Mr. Balcon told a reporter: "There is a feeling at the Air Ministry that it would be more in keeping with the character of the film for an Englishman to take the star part."

"It is true that Clark Gable has been suggested, but there is no question yet of the idea being turned down."

"There are to be further meetings between officials of the Air Ministry and M.G.-M. in a week or two, at which it will be decided who is to star in the film."

### M.G.-M. RIVAL PLAN

New York. An executive of M.G.-M., expressing his personal view said: "My understanding is that Clark Gable may not play in 'Shadow of the Wing,' as the studio here has plans all set for him to star in 'Test Pilot' within a few months, and two air pictures together would be bad business."

## ANTHONY EDEN SAVED COMRADE IN WAR

### Dragged Wounded Man To Safety Under Fire

HOW Mr. Anthony Eden, with face blackened for a trench raid, rescued a wounded English soldier under German fire and dragged him to safety at Ypres has just been described.

The story was told by the rescued soldier, Mr. W. H. Harrop, now a director of a Sheffield works, founder and chairman of the Sheffield branch of the Old Comtemporables' Association.

Ever since the day of the rescue in 1916 he and Mr. Eden have kept up a correspondence.

Mr. Eden was a subaltern in the King's Royal Rifles, and Mr. Harrop was an N.C.O.

Describing the adventure, Mr. Harrop said that a surprise raid had been ordered on the enemy trenches, only 70 yards away to bring back prisoners.

### TWO YEARS IN HOSPITAL

The spot was known to the soldiers as the "Birdcage, Plub-street Wood." Mr. Eden was the officer in charge of the party.

They blacked their faces, as was the custom in raids of that kind. He went into Mr. Eden's dug-out and rubbed black over his face in readiness for the raid.

They went over the top, armed with bombs and revolvers, but were spotted by the Germans, who opened fire. All the party returned safely except Mr. Harrop, who lay helplessly with a wound in the left thigh.

As soon as Mr. Eden found that Mr. Harrop had not returned he set off with two or three of the men. Mr. Harrop was saved, but his wound was so severe that he was in hospital for two years and has had thirty-three operations. The wound still troubles him.

Mr. Harrop received many sympathetic letters from Mr. Eden while he was in hospital, says the *Sunday Express*.

"I was as fearless as an officer as he is now as a statesman," Mr. Harrop said. "Everybody liked him. He was popularly known as 'The Boy.'"

## WAR VICTIM WITH LEG IN CAST



One of the pitiful sights to be seen along the streets of the Central districts is the unfortunate Chinese war victim with his left foot in a plaster cast, spending his days and nights in front of a barricaded shop along Szechuen Road, not far from the bridge, patiently biding his time when he will be able to take off the plaster of Paris and perhaps be able to walk once again.

## Kay Stammers Says "No" To Hollywood

SAM GOLDWYN and Darryl Zanuck are trying to persuade Kay Stammers, vivacious British tennis star, now playing at Los Angeles, to take a film test and seek screen stardom.

Her mother, Mrs. H. C. Stammers, of St. Albans, revealed to a *Sunday Dispatch* reporter that other producers have made similar offers during her present visit to America.

She was also approached by film magnates during her American visit last year.

Kay is "not particularly enthusiastic," says Hollywood.

Her mother is not keen, either.

"She is not an actress," said Mrs. Stammers. "I would not particularly care for her to go in for a screen career, and I do not think she is likely to do so."

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Nuit d'Espagne (Massenet); Ouvre Ton Coeur (Bizet); Enlèvement (S. Borde and C. Levade). 12.40 New Light Symphony Orchestra.

Dance Of The Hours (La Gioconda—Ponchielli); Salut D'Amour (Elgar); Serenade (Pierne); Prelude (Haydn Wood); Serenade Maureque, Op. 10, No. 2 (Elgar).

1. Time and Weather. 1.03 Reginald Foort (Cinema Organ).

Foort (Fibich); An Autumn Serenade (Beccia); Medley Of D'Ally's Favourites: Intro: A bachelor gay (Maid of the Mountains); Villi (The Merry Widow); Bohemia (The Happy Day); Leander (Katcha the Dancer); Under the Deodar (The Country Girl); You're in love (Gipsy Love). 1.15 Musical Comedy.

"The Love Parade"—Selection (Schubert); Jack Payne and His B.B.C. Dance Orchestra; Musical Comedy Marches... Light Opera Company.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press; Weather and Announcements.

1.40 The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. Quick Step—There's No Time Like The Present (film 'Music Hath Charms'); Tango—Marilou; Waltz—Give Me Your Hand; Fox-Trot—Saddle Your Blues To A Wild Mustang; You Started Me Dreaming; Comedy Fox-Trot—I'm Nuts On Scow Music; I Laughed So Hard I Nearly Died; Fox-Trot—Mine's A Hopeless Case (from 'Over She Goes'); I Breathe On Windows (from 'Over She Goes'); Waltz—Lovely Lady (film 'King of Burlesque'); Fox-Trot—Aloha At A Table For Two.

2.15 Close Down.

8-11 p.m. Chinese Programme

5 Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof-Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

1. How could you? 2. Carelessly; 3. Fifty Million Robins; 4. On a Little Bamboo Bridge.

5.15 Interval of recorded dance music from Z.B.W.

5.20 5. Someone to care for me; 5. That certain Foolish Feeling; 7. Where are you? 8. Kiffin at the Ritz.

5.35 Interval of recorded dance music from Z.B.W.

5.45 9. It looks like rain; 10. Love is good for anything; 11. There's a lull in my life; 12. Wake up and live.

6. Gladie—Children's Concert.

6.45 Gilbert and Sullivan Selections.

The Mikado—Overture... The Light Opera Orchestra; The Pirates Of Penzance—Ah, Leave Me Not To Pine... Elsie Griffin and Derek Oldham; H.M.S. Pinafore—Vocal Gems... Can Do (film 'Tond House'); Layton and Johnstone; Band Music—The Whistling Farmer Boy (film more); The Whistler And His Dog (Pryor)... Silver Stars Band.

7.30 Time, Weather and Announcements.

8.03 Chinese Programme—Studio Concert.

8.03-11 p.m. European Programme from Z.B.W. On a Frequency of 640 Kilocycles.

8.03 Brahms Sonata in F Minor, Op. 120, No. 1.

Played by Lionel Tertis (Violin) and Harriet Cohen (Piano).

8.20 Two Brahms Songs by Maria Olszewska (Contralto).

Die Minnarch; Sapphicische Ode.

8.45 Light Orchestral Concert.

Reminiscences Of Grieg (arr. Urbach)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra; Vienna By Night (Komzak)... Marek Weber and His Orchestra; Neapolitan Melodies, Medley... Columbia Concert Orchestra; What's Next? (A Polpourri of popular tunes of the last half Century (arr. H. Finck)... Herman Finck and His Orchestra.

9.10 London Relay—Food for Thought.

Three short talks on matters of topical interest.

9.10 London Relay—The News and Announcements.

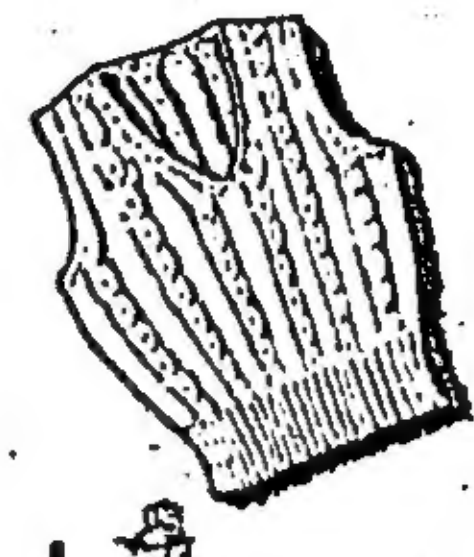
9.30 Two Songs by Gitta Alpar (Soprano).

I Give My Heart (film 'I give my heart'); The Dubarry (film 'I give my heart').

9.55 Primo Scala's Accordion Band.

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## TACKLE WHICH SHOULD BE ELIMINATED FROM RUGBY

By E. C. BLACKWELL

It was interesting to read the other day that the Manchester Y.M.C.A. Rugby Union club has installed a tackling apparatus. An excellent idea. It has seemed to me for some years that real honest-to-goodness tackling has become a thing of the past.

"Go low" was always the sound slogan for effective—and one might almost say spectacular—tackling. It is still more observed in the Rugby Union than in the League code, and the latter has certainly lost a great deal in consequence.

In Rugby League football the tendency of recent years has been to develop and perfect a new form of tackle. The "smother" tackle it is called when you wish to be polite. When you are less charitably disposed you call it a flat tackle—or a rough-house maul.

This, I am afraid, is another made-in-Australia innovation that has not improved the general character of the game. The Australians are not responsible, but the smother tackle has been perfected to counteract their style of play.

By intensive backing-up the Colonial teams destroyed the effectiveness of the low tackle. Get your man, and others can look after the ball, it used to be urged.

I recall Jimmy Sharrock, the former Wigan full-back, who went to Australia with the Northern Union team of 1914, declaring that he never in all his career took a "dummy," but always got his man.

**STILL THE BEST ADVICE**  
He impressed that lesson very strongly upon Sullivan when as a mere youth the present Wigan captain came from Cardiff.

It is still the soundest advice for a full-back, for if the man running with the ball is checked the defence has a second or third chance.

The player tackled must part with the ball, and even if he can make a deliberate pass, there is the possibility that his colleague who is in support may knock-on, or that another defender may be up to overthrow him.

The Australians perfected in truly amazing style the ability to get in a pass when tackled, and there were times when our home players were made to appear slow and cumbersome in comparison.

The smother-tackle came into being to counteract this. Who was responsible for introducing it I cannot say.

I suppose it was one of those things which grew. Something had to be done to check the Australians, and the only way to do it was to tackle the man in such a way that he could not part with the ball.

**INEVITABLE OUTCOME**  
In other words, man and ball had to be "smothered." Therefore, instead of tackling low, or at any rate no higher than the hips, our players went for man and ball, and that invariably meant a head-high tackle.

An almost inevitable outcome was the reckless and indiscriminate flailing about of the arms and even of clenched fists. Worst of all, referees and touch judges have come to take no serious notice of such things, but accept them as part and parcel of the game.

It will be better for the game if this type of tackle is prohibited. No use of passing pious resolutions con-

## FINAL ACCEPTORS FOR BIG RACE

Cesarewitch Odds Announced

London, Oct. 20.  
The final acceptors for the Cesarewitch are as follows: with their jockeys.

Buckleigh (Caroline), Dytchley (Pat Beasley), Near Relation (Perryman), Nightcap III (Marshall), Solar Bear (Jones), Organeau (Villacourt), Epigram (Beary), Punch (Sam Marston), Sir Calidore (Nevett), Marston (Weston), Miss Windsor (D. Smith), Harewood (Brethels), African Lily (Cliff Richards), Fet (Richardson), Idaho (Lynch), Archduke II (Pratt), Correa (E. Fox), Prudent Act (Christie), Muscovado (Wells), Tapageur (Lacey), and Repondant (Gilbert).

The following have been accepted, but no jockeys have yet been found for them:

Carlota, Spartan III, Weather Vane, Fates Vos Jeux, Blackfell, Castanella, Earth Stopper, Tote Investor, Tillack, Belonged, Zeros, Empire Son, Greece, Third Hazard, Fox Star and Fair Lead.—Reuter.

### LATEST CALL-OVER

London, Oct. 20.  
The following is the latest call-over at the Victoria Club for the Cesarewitch:

10/1 Epigram t. and o.  
100/9 Near Relation t. and o.  
13/1 Solar Bear t. and o.  
100/6 Harewood t. and o.  
17/1 Marston t. and o.  
17/1 Buckleigh t. and o.  
17/1 Punch t. and o.  
18/1 Miss Windsor t. and o.  
20/1 Nightcap III o. 22/1 t.  
22/1 Fet t. and o.  
28/1 Idaho o. 30/1 t.  
30/1 Muscovado t. and o.  
33/1 Castanella o. 40/1 t.  
35/1 Organeau t. and o.  
35/4 Weather Vane t. and o.  
35/1 Dytchley t. and o.  
40/1 African Lily t. and o.  
40/1 Fates Vos Jeux t. and o.  
50/1 Fox Star t. and o.  
50/1 Repondant t. and o.  
50/1 Sir Calidore t. and o.  
55/1 Greece t. and o.  
60/1 Belonged t. and o.  
60/1 Earth Stopper t. and o.  
66/1 Prudent Act t. and o.  
66/1 Zeros o. 80/1 t.  
80/1 Archduke II t. and o.  
—Reuter.

riders mentioned when not participating in an attempt.

Further trials are scheduled and include distance up to 30 miles. Particulars as to club runs and evening spins may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, Mr. W. H. Peckham, R.A.S.C., Wellington Barracks, in spite of the unsettled conditions in neighbouring Chinese territory, two or three members of the Club are intending to carry out a tour in the near future with the object of trying out the route between Canton and Swatow in preparation for future long distance records.

## WEEKLY HOCKEY COMMENTS BY "THE PILGRIM"

### Two County Rugby Matches

London, Oct. 20.  
Two Rugby Union county matches were decided to-day. Eastern Counties beating Kent at Ilford by 13 points to three and Surrey defeating Sussex at Thames Ditton by 25-8.  
The match between St. Bart's Hospital and Cambridge University was postponed.—Reuter.

### SURPRISE MOVE BY K. I. T. C.

Two Canton Men Turn Out

In their Inter-Section Tournament match against the Radio Sports Club last week, the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club fielded two players from Canton who were allegedly non-residents of the Colony. This was a surprising move on the part of the Kowloon Indians and one which, it seems to me, should not be encouraged.

The Radio team was beaten and lost defeat in a very sporting way. Though the Radio men had every reason to protest, they did not do so. The Inter-Section Committee, however, took the matter up but allowed it to slide at the request of the Radio Sports Club, whose members felt positive that an incident so early in the season would not be at all nice.

Had the Committee decided not to leave the matter alone, a replay between the K.I.T.C. and the Radio Sports Club would have been necessary. Nevertheless, the Kowloon Indians would be well advised to abide by the rules and play the game in future.

I have since heard that the Committee has severely reprimanded the K.I.T.C. and has also warned them that if those players in question are included in their team in future, there will be trouble.

The Radio Sports Club has been praised for the manner in which the players accepted defeat. My congratulations to them for their fine sportsmanship.

Kowloon Indians have a side which is good enough even without the help of their players from Canton.

### FOOTBALL TEAM Changes in Saints' Line-Up

Injuries to V. Costa and C. Marques have necessitated changes in St. Joseph's line-up in their First Division soccer matches against Kowloon on Saturday. The following will turn out:

Mr. Marques; J. Bowen; J. Alves; N. Delgado; A. J. H. Hunsain; W. Maher; C. Castilho; A. Ward; D. Leonard; J. Gomes and A. Alves.

### Baer-Braddock Fight Is Postponed

Jimmy's Hand Injured

New York, Oct. 20.  
The fight arranged between Max Baer and Jimmy Braddock, both former heavyweight boxing champions of the world, has been postponed indefinitely owing to an injury to Braddock's hand.

Mike Jacobs, the famous promoter, will announce the date and place of the fight in a few weeks.

The Baer-Braddock fight is part of an eliminating contest to find an opponent for Joe Louis, the present champion.—Reuter.

### K. C. C. Tennis Guest Wins Singles Handicap

BODIKER LOSES TWO MATCHES

Further progress has been made in the Kowloon C.C. tennis championships.

A. E. P. Guest has won the Handicap Singles by defeating G. Bodiker in the final. Playing from over 30/1, Guest won by 7-5, 6-2. His opponent was over 30/3.

Bodiker was also beaten in the semi-finals of the Singles Championship, losing to E. C. Fincher by three sets to one. Fincher now meets Guest in the final.

### MATCH DECIDED AT LAST

Police Overcome Club de Recreio

The third meeting between Club de Recreio and the Hongkong Police in the Inter-Section Tournament—the first two matches having been drawn—was played on the Police Training School ground last evening, the result being a splendid win for the keepers of the law by the convincing margin of four clear goals.

It was hard luck on the Recreio that they had to field six reserves: Banto, Marques, Beltrao, Alves, Gossio and C. Gossio were the notable absentees. The Police made no changes in their team.

Though the Police went all out for a win from the start, the first half produced no goals in spite of the fact that they dominated most of the play. On changing over, the Police



J. Goncalves, hero of Recreio's defence.

were still pressing and went ahead through Howlett who, following a fine movement between the two inside forwards, shot the ball in between Mendonca's legs.

Inspired by this lead, the Police attack proved too much for the Recs, who cracked up badly. Wall took possession of the ball after a pretty bout of dribbling past M. A. Oliveira and C. A. Marques found the net. The Recs rallied in the face of this reverse, but were unsuccessful. Not long afterwards, Howlett and Wall added further goals for the Police.

With the exception of a few break-aways by the Portuguese forwards, the keepers of the law were not troubled and had the game well in hand.

### HOW THEY PLAYED

Teja Singh, Howlett, Parker and Wall formed a perfect combination, the first-named especially keeping the crowd cheering with his splendid dashes down the right wing. Brown, Gough and Willis were a hard-working trio with Brown outstanding. Hayward was the best back. Though they were well beaten in the second half of the game, the Recs gave a splendid display. Plana, M. Oliveira and Cutreiras gave of their best in a weak attack. J. Goncalves as pivot proved a tower of strength. (Continued on Page 9.)



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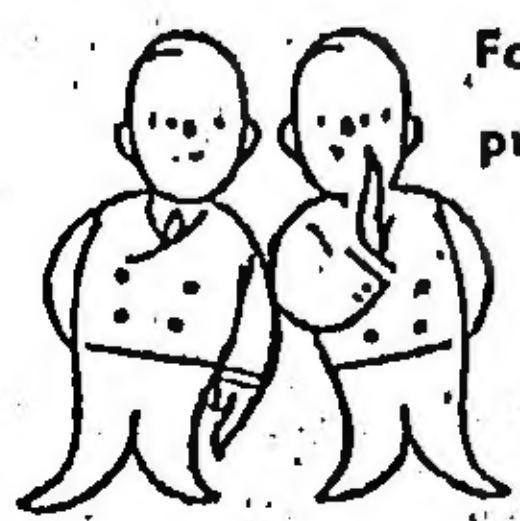
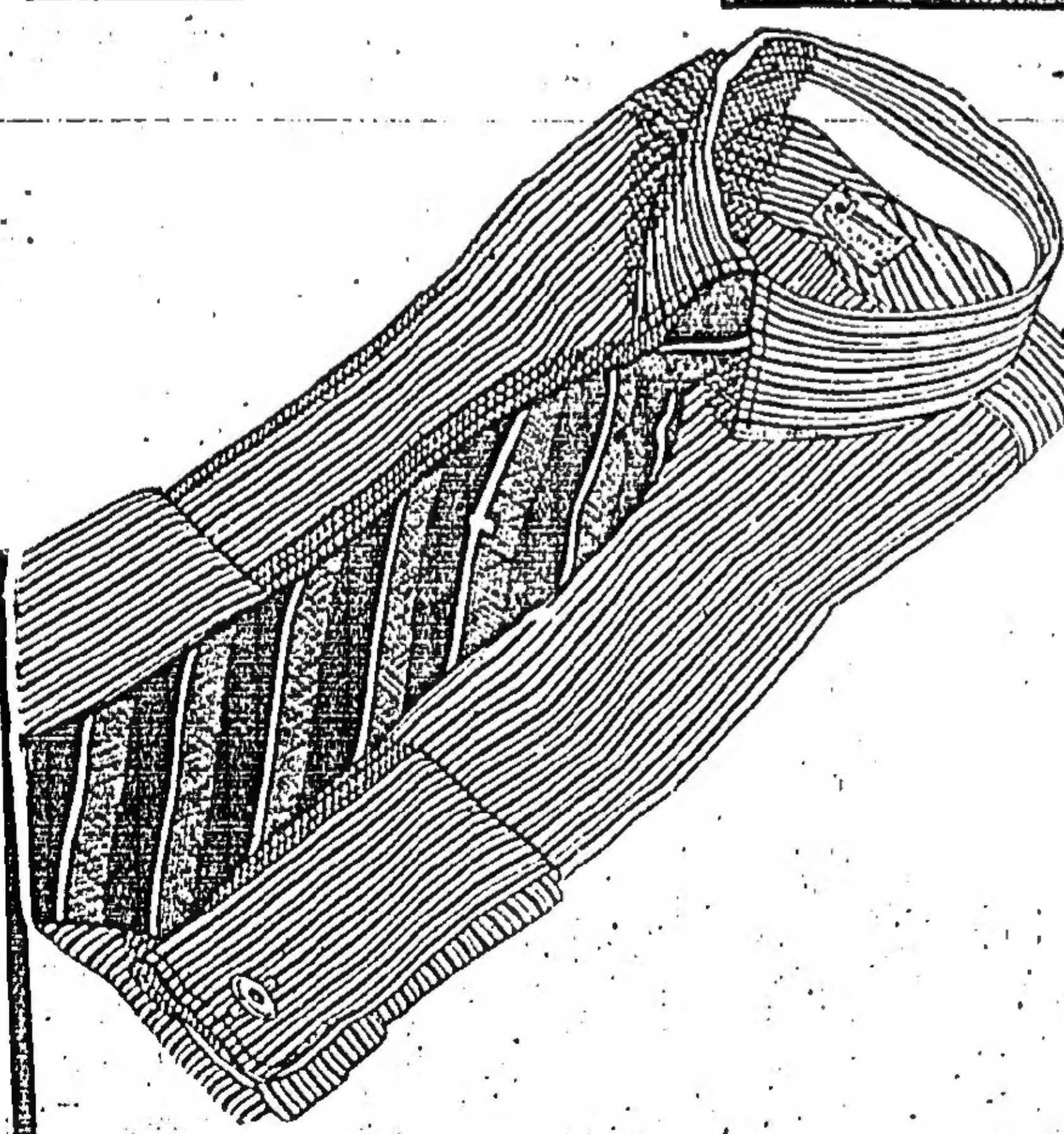
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## WEEKLY HOCKEY NOTES

(By "The Pilgrim")

(Continued from Page 8.)

but received poor support from his wing halves. A. M. Rodrigues played a lone game at left back. The Police deserved their success; they won a hard match in which enthusiasm and vigour made up for a certain lack of the finer points of hockey.

The Police now meet the Hongkong Club in the semi-final.



Howlett  
custodian turned goal-scorer.

## NOTES OF CURRENT INTEREST

A. B. Hamsch, who turned out for St. Andrew's Club a few seasons ago, has made a welcome return to the game. He now plays for the Nomads and was in action last Sunday against the Argonauts.

LADY members of the Y.M.C.A. will regret to hear that Miss J. Weller intends giving up the game this season. I should like to see her change her mind and stick to the game. The "Y" Ladies need her services badly; she has always shown her worth between the sticks.

ERIC MacNider has signified his intentions of taking an active part in hockey this winter. Many will remember the days when Eric turned out for St. Andrew's and the C.B.A. at right half-back. He may be seen in that position for the Y.M.C.A. in future.

G. E. Clarke, the popular Mamak Hockey Tournament Secretary and Hockey right back, has given up the game. He is not quite fit at the present moment and hopes to concentrate more on Cricket.

J. S. Grewal, the former Radio right back, has returned after a spell of eight months' leave in India. He is not showing anything like his true form of two seasons ago and certainly needs a great deal more practice.

## TATE DROPS OUT

London, Oct. 20.  
Sussex has decided not to re-engage Maurice Tate for the next cricket season. For his great services to the county he is to be presented with a cheque.

Tate will tour the Argentine in the coming winter.—Reuter Bulletin.



Robert Young and Florence Rice in "Married Before Breakfast" now showing at the King's Theatre.

## Rifle Shooting

### Favourable Conditions On Range

The usual mid-week spoon and practice shoot took place yesterday on the Army Ranges and was attended by nearly 50 competitors. The number would have been greater had many naval members been able to attend, but this loss was counter-balanced by the appearance of many new members from the Middlesex Regiment.

Cool weather, clear atmosphere, steady light, and absence of wind conduced to good scoring. Individual full membership, doubtless due to the grant of week-end shooting, has rapidly grown and it is confidently expected that by the end of the month, it will have passed the 500 mark.

The miniature rifle shooting section is about to start under the secretaryship of Mr. C. Watson, of the Dockyard Rifle Club, a well-known shot on the open range.

The Association is looking forward to the arrival of the new Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote. The fact that he was personally responsible for the appearance this year at the Imperial meeting at Bisleigh of a team from British Guiana has been noted with gratification.

Work on the clay-bird "range" will start this week, and it is anticipated that the first shoot will be held the first Wednesday in November.

Compilation of the Year-Book is approaching completion, and there is no doubt that the second issue will be far more comprehensive than the current edition. Photographs of winning teams at the last prize meeting, however, are still badly required, and the Secretary will be grateful for further assistance.

Scores yesterday:  
S. R. (b)

Cd. Gnr. Moody (Ser)	200 500 600 A.E.K.
Capt. Ratcliffe (Ser)	34 35 32 101
Cpl. Morris (1)	31 33 31 95
E. R. A. Seymour (2)	31 32 30 93
Cpl. Tonkins (1)	32 31 30 93
C. P. O. Fellow (Ser)	31 32 30 93
Cpl. Miller (1)	29 31 31 91
Mrs. Henthorn (1)	32 30 28 90
Surg. Lt. Mackie (2)	31 30 28 89
Lieut. Hawkins (1)	30 32 27 89
L/Cpl. Downing (2)	30 28 30 88
L/Cpl. Tonnar (5)	24 20 31 84
L/Cpl. Kemp (5)	30 27 24 81
L/Cpl. McNaughton (7)	27 27 26 80
Cpl. Richardson (5)	29 25 26 80
All used the "1914" rifle.	

S. R. (a)	20 30 26 85
Sgt. Bickell	24 32 24 80
C.Q.M.S. Bradley (5)	27 27 26 80
Sgt. Bayles	20 25 28 79
L/Sgt. Jordan	26 30 23 79
Pte. Langford	28 27 20 75
Cpl. Viges (11)	22 27 25 74
Spr. Albane (12)	25 21 26 72
Sgt. M. Garrow (6)	21 24 27 72
L/Cpl. Purcell	26 25 25 72
Cpl. Clark	24 26 20 70

Moody won the "net" spoon and Morris and Albane "handicap" spoons.

The handicap of each winner has been reduced by one point as shown.

This procedure applies to all S.R. (a) and S.R. (b) spoon shoots.

## HOCKEY TOURNEY

### Kowloon Indians Reach Inter-Section Final

In the civilian section semi-final of the inter-section hockey tournament, yesterday Kowloon Indians Tennis Club defeated Nomads by two clear goals on the Hongkong Club ground.

Both teams fielded only 10 men. In the first half, the Indians attacked continuously and half-way through scored their two goals from J. Pinto and P. Singh.

In the second half Nomads had their share of the game and on more than one occasion, came near to scoring. H. Gubbay was outstanding and S. Reed prominent in the attack. He displayed good stick-work but received poor support from his wings. What little assistance he had came from his brother, F. Reed.

### CLUB v. SMALL UNITS

The Hongkong Hockey Club beat the Royal Air Force and Signals three goals to one yesterday on the Marina ground.

The game was very even. The Club scored once in the first half through Divett. Soon after the resumption, the Services side equalised through Bartlett. They were unfortunate, however, in not finishing the game even. It was in the closing stages that S. Fowler and V. Bond added two more goals for the Club.

### ST. ANDREW'S TEAM

A friendly hockey match has been arranged between St. Andrew's Club and H.M.S. Tamar on the former's ground, King's Park, on Tuesday, October 20 at 5.10 p.m. The following have been chosen to represent St. Andrew's:

E. H. Millington; F. A. Broadbridge, E. H. P. White, R. Dorman, A. E. P. Guest, A. F. Austen; J. Perkin, A. G. Cox, W. H. Colledge, Rev. J. R. Higgs and R. Baldwin.

## KWANTI MEETINGS

The following dates have been fixed for the Steeplechase Meetings at Kwanti for the 1937-38 season: December 10, 1937; January 10, February 13 and March 20, 1938.

## SPORT ADVTS.

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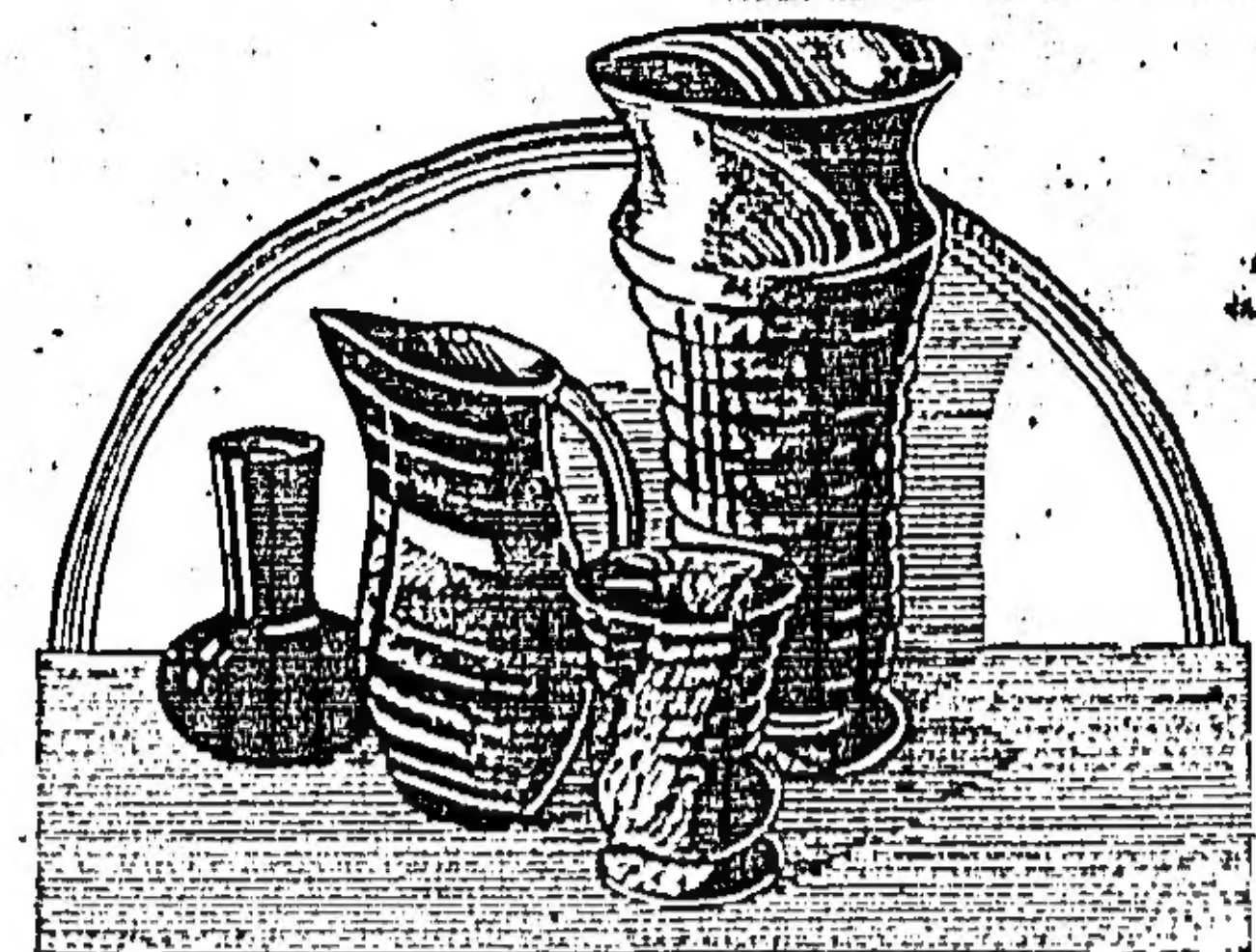
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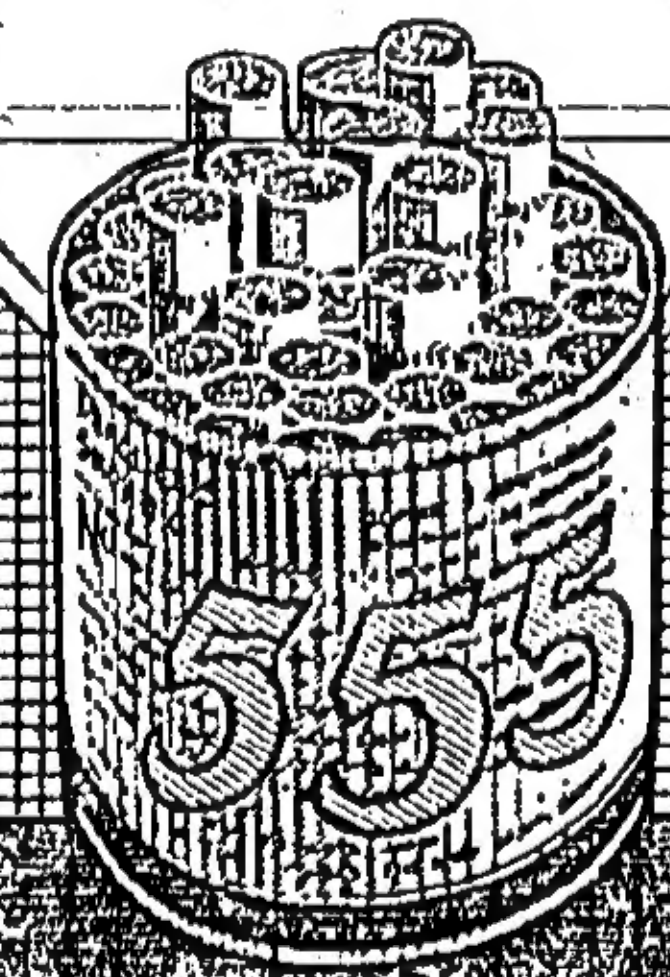
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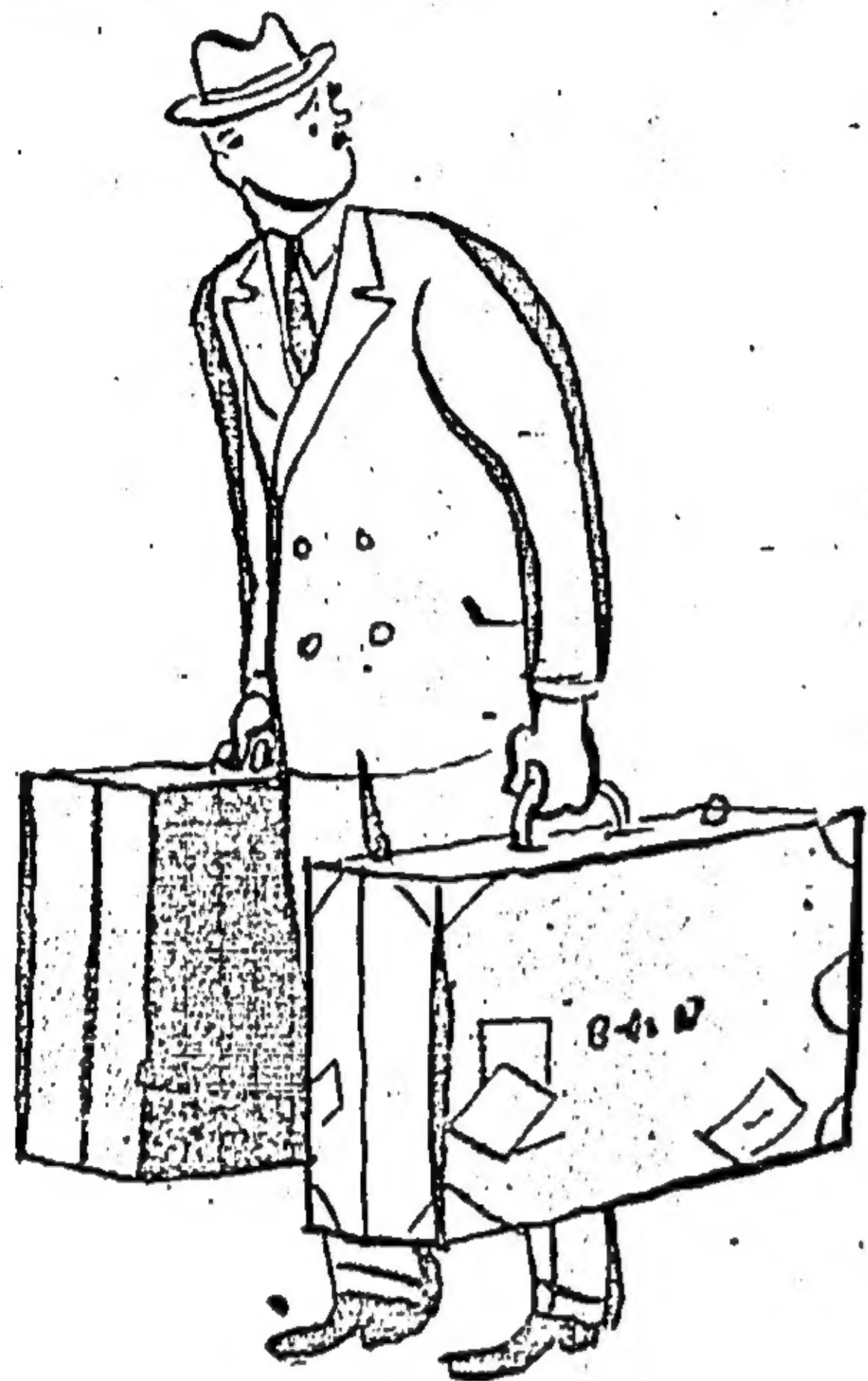


# and Five were Foolish

Gordon Glover tells the story of ten different wives. Which do you think were wise and which foolish?

NOT virgins, this time, but wives. Five were wise and five were foolish. Ten wives with ten attitudes to men and marriage. Here they are:

Each one is given a number but not in any order of precedence. As to which are the wise and which are the foolish, that's for you to decide. Don't rush gleefully to identify yourself with this one or that—for you never know.



## Juliana Prepares Nursery For Royal Baby

HOLLAND is thrilled with anticipation over the prospective birth of a child to Princess Juliana and Prince Bernhard. The child is expected in January.

Juliana is going about her everyday life in a normal way.

She accompanied her young husband on the recent army manoeuvres, and spent many days and nights cruising through canals in her wedding-yacht, often sleeping and living on board.

Instead of the intensive domestic courses considered essential by most European princesses, she has restricted her practical experiences of "feminine duties" to this summer yachting.

### Which Palace?

The place where the new couple will be born has not yet been selected. The Palace of Soestdyke is the bride home of the royal couple, but many believe that the princess will prefer to occupy her old suite in the Royal Palace at The Hague.

There she will be near her mother, Queen Wilhelmina, and her personal physicians.

Nevertheless, a nursery suite is being prepared at Soestdyke. Princess Juliana has set aside three sunny rooms where she spent many days in childhood with her grandmother, Queen Emma.

Furnishing of the nursery will be planned after the visit soon of Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone. It was in the guest of Princess Alice in London that Juliana acquired many of her tastes in dress and furnishing, and everything English has since made a strong appeal to her.

Juliana admires the way in which English children are brought up.

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1. SHE takes a practical view of things. Marriage, when all is said and done, is a business, rules for a game. They are made to be respected and must be respected whatever the cost. Psychology, the Church of England have prescribed the formula by which a marriage is run.

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ents in such excellent stead. Her husband's word is law, his slightest wish must be anticipated, his excuses taken at their face value. As for emotion—practical facts are what count.

2. SHE believes in marriage as the most supremely romantic thing which can ever happen between two people.

As it started, beautifully, trustingly, lyrically, so should it be encouraged to continue. The home, the grocer, the garage, the garden, the suburb—these are but the common soil in which this comely flower shall bloom. She has a devotional attitude towards the time, the scent, the garden of remembrance.

Her every effort is directed towards maintaining the flame which burned between her and her husband, when first they fell in love.

3. SHE believes in the relationship of absolute honesty, without frills, without

rules, and, above all, without wiles, artifice and trickery.

She'd never try to make her husband jealous by flirting with another man, never pretend not to be a cat if she were one, never observe any of the prescribed "feminine artifices" for keeping your man once you've got him.

4. LIKE No. 1, she's practical. "Be a good wife" is her motto. In short, she believes that being a wife is more important than being a woman.

As a good wife she is a first-rate cook, excellent householder and a mother beyond reproach. Her husband has to worry about nothing—his home runs like clockwork. But if he's late for his excellent dinner the meal is eaten to the tune of a once-aided masculine conversation, or in silence.

She has no time for books or intellectual pursuits. Men, when all is said and done, declares this wife, are slaves to the creature comforts, the devoted companions of those who create them.

5. THERE are no flies on her. Men, she asserts, may be children, but they are apt to become dangerous children if given too much rope, and, as such, require handling.

Marriage, she believes, comes naturally to a woman, hardly to a man. Train a man to be a good and willing husband and the rest is easy. She does not believe in obvious devices, but she does believe that the whole conduct of a marriage depends upon the wife, that she should be the stronger of the two, and that, little by little, she should mould, handle and shape her husband to the domestic ideal.

6. IT'S her belief that the most wicked phrase in existence is "and the two shall become one."

She fights all along the line for the preservation of her own identity and that of her husband. To her the idea of a marriage in which two people tend to think as one, act as one and be as one is repellent. She believes in respecting her husband as a person and not in clinging to him as a husband. She reserves the right to keep her own interests and friends irrespective of whether they are her husband's or not.

She plumps for separate—rooms, separate holidays and separate interests on all occasions possible.

She insists on having men friends and encourages her husband to keep himself alive by having woman friends.

Wife No. 6 plumps for separate holidays and separate interests on all occasions possible



Her whole theory in a phrase is, "We're not a couple, but two people sharing a home."

7. ON the face of it her attitude to marriage from the very start is a cynical one.

She wouldn't put it so bluntly, even to herself, but subconsciously she feels that marriage is one way, and possibly an agreeable way, of earning one's living.

She faces it without illusions, expecting mighty little and getting, she calculates, more than she expects. She debunks the happy-ever-after and perfect-man theories.

She never consciously goes out for any one thing, be it romance or easy content. She just quietly lives, taking up in actual effect no attitude at all. She is never idle, she never lets a chance of happiness go by, but at the same time she never strives for it one way or another and never in any circumstances expects it as her due.

8. SHE lives her married life on the "keep him guessing" theory.

She will enter into flirtation with a young man in whom she has not the slightest interest on the principle that if a man thinks his wife in danger of being attracted elsewhere he will maintain those little attentions and courtesies which gave her such pleasure (and added to her prestige among non-engaged girls) before they were married. When he suggests dinner and a theatre she says "I'll phone him later."

If he's always on tenterhooks

9. TOWARDS her wifeliness, and domesticity she has a purely supplementary interest. Supplementary, in fact, to the business of being a woman.

Unlike number 4 she believes that being a woman is more important than being a wife. The "ideal wife," she declares, is simply a married female who continues to be a thoroughly sound woman.

She's at continual pains to remain the person her husband fell in love with and not to turn into the wife he married. She believes in keeping a man's interest not through well-dusted rooms and well-cooked stews, but through the tireless appeal of charm, personality and a wideawake character.

"Someone who's charming, alive and up to date," she asserts, "couldn't possibly live in a shabby home."

10. SHE feels that marriage is an adventure, one that she hopes will have a happy ending.

As the adventure has been experienced by millions of other couples, however, her attitude is quiet, unquestioning and unharassed. She is not exactly complacent but realises that numerous problems will present themselves and can be dealt with as they arise.

She makes no gestures, lays no plans and takes no advice. She marries a man, then waits to see what it's like living with him.

# HOW TO POPULARISE THE ARMY

By "AN OLD STAGER"

THE professional artist of the present National Ministry is obviously Mr. Hore-Belisha. That brisk and dapper little Minister, after serving the normal novitiate in under-secretarial posts with creditable alacrity, was chosen by Earl Baldwin to be his Minister of Transport. Then, when Mr. Neville Chamberlain gathered round his shoulders the graceful folds of that new-made Peer's Parliamentary mantle, Mr. Hore-Belisha was promoted to be Minister for War.

It almost looked as though the retiring Premier had whispered to his successor: "Put Hore-Belisha in the forefront of the battle." Only in this case, of course, apart from the fact that the new War Minister happens to be a bachelor, there is no suggestion of any illicit domestic intrigue. Mr. Hore-Belisha had made a great show of energetic originality at the Transport Ministry, and even though his mountainous portulugon had brought forth little more than a Belisha beacon mouse, he had the merit of impressing onlookers as being a trier.

After a few months close cogitation with the glittering headquarters staff at the War Office, Mr. Hore-Belisha has brought forth another respectable mouse. But his military nous-couchement is destined, I imagine, to arouse a great deal more controversy, and of a fiercer kind, than did the Belisha beacon. There never yet was, and probably never will be, a more intensive criticism. Mr. Hore-Belisha's will be no exception to that rule.

The newly baptised Army League, for example, will almost certainly view the scheme as a mouse or a feeble slogan. It falls lamentably short of the broad policy these pundits only recently adumbrated. I am painfully aware that "adumbrate" is a tired word, but derivatively it happens to fit the case exactly. The Army League's scheme was pretty shadowy in its details.

### A Haphazard Plan

In justice to the new young War

Minister, it must be recognised that he had to grapple with an urgent emergency. Such is the slump in recruitment for the Regular Army that practically all units are of little more than skeleton strength, and we are actually faced with a possible impending collapse of the vital Cardington system, which we make our home battalions supply the needs of our foreign station ones.

In face of this grave crisis, Mr. Hore-Belisha's first care had to be how to replenish his gaunt cadres. He proposes to do so, if he can, by inviting A and B Reservists, which means the men most recently out of active service, to rejoin for the duration of their normal Reserve term, with the option of staying on for a pensionable twenty-one years with the colours. A similar option is extended also to soldiers at present serving in the Regular Army. By these somewhat haphazard means Mr. Hore-Belisha hopes to save a difficult situation.

It remains to see how far their past experience of Army life and pay, with notable deductions, will attract back to the ranks any large proportion of the eighty thousand Reservists concerned. To whatever extent Mr. Hore-Belisha's scheme in this respect succeeds, it inevitably and obviously means weakening our Army Reserves.

Mr. Hore-Belisha may have what faith he likes in his star, but no amount of luck will enable even a Minister for War to have his Reservists back to the colours. He will have so many less Reservists to call upon if war emergency arises. He is, in fact, trying to utilise in peace time the emergency reserve of trained soldiers intended for use in case of national crisis. This bears a remarkable parallel to action regarded as a

serious military crime in the full private of the ranks—conserving iron rations without adequate justification.

Mr. Hore-Belisha may plead, of course, that the recruiting fiasco and the threatened breakdown of the foreign defence system are emergency well beyond argument. Also, he may argue that, if the option of long service proves an attraction to serving soldiers as apart from old soldiers on the Reserve, he can by extending that option to all new recruits place the British Army on its legs again.

Success or disaster, so far as Mr. Hore-Belisha's military beacon is concerned, depends mainly on the answer to that "if." Nor is it without hope that the answer may be favourable.

### The Two Main Hindrances

Two factors, cutting all the psychological cake, militate against recruiting for the Regulars. No doubt anachronistic disciplinary notions on the part of fossilised Brass Hats, who imagine we are still existing under Frederick the Great conditions, tend to make the Army less attractive to post-war youths. So do the shocking social conditions in barracks which a grateful country has hitherto deemed adequate for soldiers.

But the two main hindrances to getting the right sort of Regular recruits have been the drole and the compulsory short-service system. What ambitious young man is going to join the Army with the practical certainty that in the middle twenties he will be thrown out on the unemployed scrap-heap? He feels that whilst he is devoting his best young manhood years to learning how to be

a soldier, his comrades in civilian life are securing all the best and even all the available jobs. He is handicapping himself out of the industrial

to effort has been made to meet this disastrous situation by organising Army training centres, where the soldier can be equipped with technical knowledge for his future civilian career. But this is necessarily restricted to a comparatively few men and even so, mere technical training cannot guarantee making up for lost civilian opportunity.

I believe, with the square and fair offer of a real professional career in the Army, we could get all the men we want. Not only would a long-service Army attract the necessary recruits, but it would be a much better Army. Some of our line battalions and batteries might be annihilated and suffered up so that they would cease to look like rather untidy boys' brigades. Our Regular Army has a magnificent tradition, but at the moment a most inadequate personnel whereof to maintain it.

A long-service Regular Army, of course, would present fresh problems regarding the building up of the absolutely vital reserves for wartime drafts, but that is a difficulty which is not beyond the wit of man to solve and maybe could be met by the expedient of recreating that historic and once splendid military force known as the Militia. It was a disastrous policy that scrapped that deep-rooted military organisation. Its roots were deep in the soil of this little island, and the Militia had a sturdy territorial tradition which went back to Agincourt. The wisdom even of the military ancients was not always folly.

### Choice of Regiment

To sum up, Mr. Hore-Belisha's only feasible hope is a combined optional long-and-short service recruitment, comfortable conditions for the soldier on a par with improved general social conditions; a Press Hatched change of attitude which regards "other ranks" as decent and intelligent artisans rather than potential

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## RENT HARDSHIP OF RE-DRAFTED WORKERS

### Council Barred From Building Cheap Houses

(From A Correspondent)

Hamble (Hants), Sept. 16.

Alarmed at the hardships of derelict-area workers sent into the district, Hamble Parish Council wants to act them by building cheap houses—and is finding it difficult to get permission.

Until a year or so ago Hamble was mainly the haunt of yachtsmen and fishermen.

But with rearmament new aviation works have sprung up and it is estimated that about 4,000 workers and their families have come into the district within a year.

The big industrial firms such as Armstrong Whitworth, Shell Mex, Fairley Aviation and Air Service Training were asked by the Rural District Council if they would build houses for their workers, but all four said no.

The Parish Council asked for permission to build an attractive Council estate, but the District Council advises against this on the grounds that the situation is temporary and that when rearmament is completed the houses will be left derelict.

#### INQUIRY SOUGHT

The Parish Council wrote to the Ministry of Health and asked for an inquiry into the position, but its letter was merely referred back to the District Council.

Hamble councillors are seriously perturbed.

Workers are being forced to pay rents which they cannot afford for houses put up by private enterprise. This is leading to two families sharing one house, and in turn causes overcrowding.

I have discussed the problem with Mr. F. F. Blessy, chairman of the Fry, chairman of the Housing Committee and Hamble's representative on the District Council.

There are 46 applicants for Council houses—many others have given up as hopeless the idea of obtaining one.

In some cases local inhabitants who have waited patiently for a house have found themselves still waiting because their claim has been overruled by that of a family of newcomers who, forced to share a private enterprise house with another family, has been turned out because of overcrowding.

In such a case the local authority has to provide alternative accommodation, and so the newcomers get the first Council house available.

#### PERMANENT RESIDENTS

On one big housing estate, built originally entirely for the use of workers at a new aircraft factory, 120 houses have now been offered to the general public at rents of 10s. 9d., 17s. 9d. and 18s. 9d. weekly, and the Parish Council claims that a Council estate could provide more attractive houses at half these rents or even less.

The Council's case is that many of the newcomers will become permanent residents, and that in any case, if the right type of houses are built, Hamble is likely to become a much more popular residential centre and that there is little fear of the houses becoming derelict when the rearmament boom is ended.

Another argument is that the mere announcement of a decision to build a Council estate would have a drastic effect on the rents now charged by the private enterprise estates.

### MAGISTRATE TELLS FATHER—

## "You Should Not Have 7 Children"

MR. FRANK POWELL, Tower Bridge magistrate, hearing recently of the "indescribable" conditions in which a family of nine lived in a Blackfriars basement, told the father: "You have too many children. You must have known your wife was incapable of looking after them, and, from that point of view, you are responsible."

"Your wife went on having children and let things go," Mr. Powell added. "You should have exercised more self-control. Your case is a very good example of the need for compulsory sterilisation."

The father, William Seabrook, and his wife Mary, both aged forty, were sentenced to a month's imprisonment for neglecting their seven children and causing them unnecessary suffering.

### STOP PRESS



Japanese soldiers examine a cargo of weapons which they have captured from Chinese. The weapons are most varied, from modern magazine revolvers to old Chinese war-swords.

### HIGHER SPEED LOWER PAY

#### Anomaly of Air Pilots' Incomes

#### DEMAND FOR NEW SCALE OF RATES

As new and faster aeroplanes come into commercial service and speeds go up, pilots' pay will go down. This view is expressed by the British Air Line Pilots' Association in its official organ *The Log*.

It is urged that with the increasing speeds of the future, the need for some method of paying pilots other than a flat hourly basis has become apparent, and the advantages of a sliding scale based on hours and mileage are mentioned.

If payment by time in the air is continued, the pilot who makes a journey from London to Paris and back, for instance, in one of the new high-speed machines, would earn far less than one who made the journey in one of the slow, obsolescent machines.

#### "PHYSICAL STRAIN"

On the hourly basis every time a new aircraft is put on the route with a higher cruising speed, or the traffic department wishes to reduce the timetable, the pilot will either take a reduction in pay or he will have to do a great deal more work to earn the same amount of money as at what the British Air Pilots' Association considers to be a much greater physical strain to himself.

The hourly rate is said to be a "constant source of irritation to any sound-thinking pilot. There is general slackness in keeping schedules resulting from this system, and pilots are much more likely purposely to arrive late in head winds than to attempt to keep schedule."

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### Heart-Beats Stopped For 10 Minutes

For ten minutes during an operation the patient's heart stopped beating. Massage restored the heart-beats, but it was two hours before the man was able to take a breath for himself.

This was related by a doctor at the Inquest at Lincoln last month on Leonard William Warren (20), of Frecheville, Shetfield, who was injured when a car in which he was a passenger overturned.

Dr. G. S. A. Knowles, a Lincoln hospital house surgeon, said that he and his colleagues were exhausted by their efforts. The man, who had severe head injuries, was returned to the ward after the operation. He more or less regained consciousness, but in spite of first aid he died.

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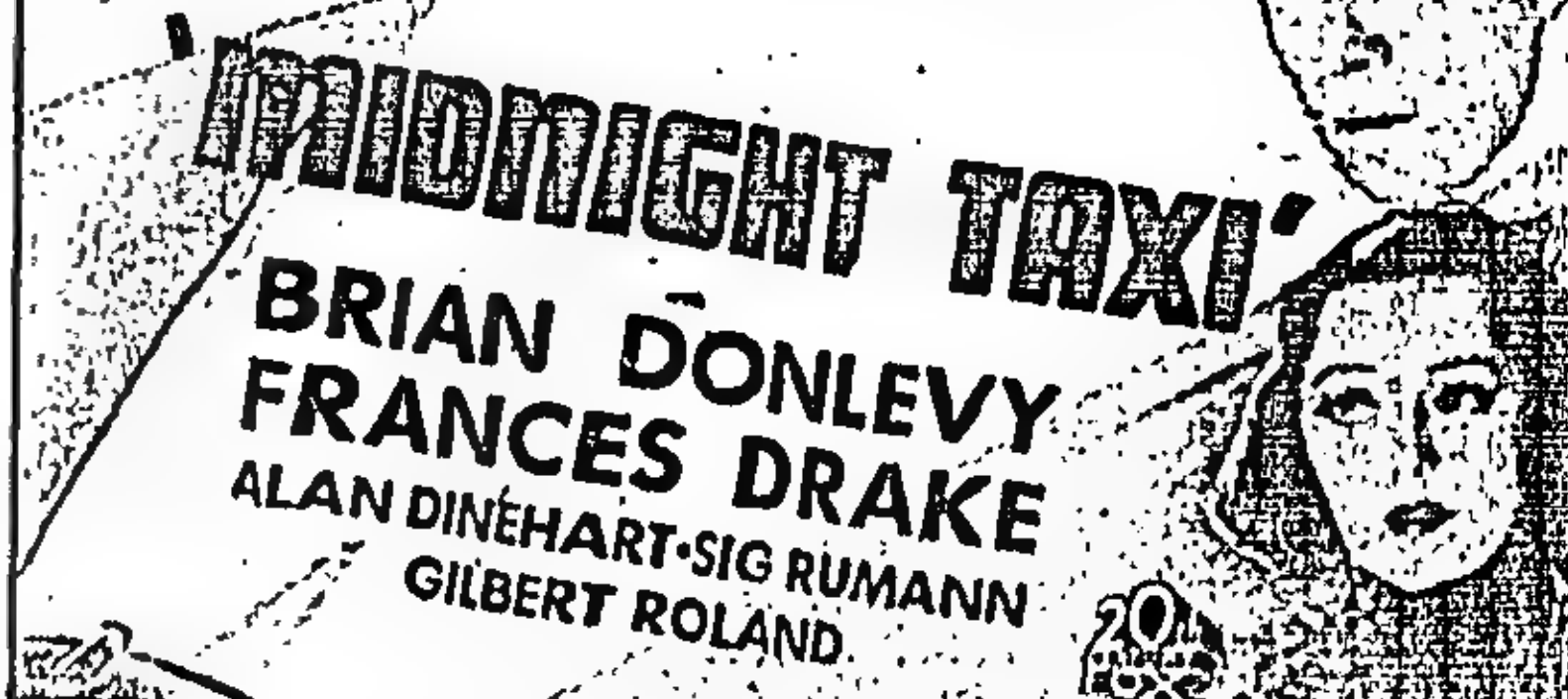
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# EXPERT "MORALLY" CERTAIN RAIDER JAPANESE

## Naval Officer Testifies At Junk Inquiry

### OPINION FOUNDED ON EVIDENCE GIVEN BY SURVIVORS OF ATTACK

Expert evidence as to the distinguishing marks of submarines of Naval Powers was given by Lieut.-Comdr. R. R. Helbert, R. N. specialist in that type of craft, at the Supreme Court this morning when the Junk Commission resumed its hearing.

Lieut.-Comdr. Helbert said that judging from the descriptions given by the victims, he was inclined to believe that the submarine alleged to be responsible for the shelling and sinking of ten junks off Chiling Lighthouse on the morning of September 22, was a Japanese craft.

The Commission comprised of the Chief Justice, Sir Athol MacGregor (Chairman), Hon. Comdr. J. B. Newill, Acting Harbour Master, and Mr. J. A. Fraser, temporary additional Judge.

The inquiry was adjourned until 10 a.m. to-morrow.

Mr. J. Whyatt, Assistant Attorney-General, who was in charge of the witnesses, said that Lum Chu, one of the victims, had stated that he recognised the sailors as Japanese by the suspenders worn on their shoulders. He would like to have him recalled to clarify this point.

Lum Chu, recalled, demonstrated how the suspenders were worn—one strap on each shoulder like braces. He said the straps were dark in colour and about 1½ inches wide.

### Tells Of Rescue

Yu Man-hoi, assistant comrade of the Kaying, stated that while the vessel was on her way from Shanghai to Hongkong on September 27, he saw at a distance two men on a raft calling out "Save life!" They were picked up and taken on-board. They appeared to be much fatigued and their hands and feet were very white as if they had been in the water for a long time. The men whose names were Kuo Pak-tan and Kuo Pak-shing, were landed in Hongkong.

Sergeant Thomas Mackay, Police photographer, testified to having taken photos of junks 28 and 447, copies of which were produced. On board junk 28, he took photos of two guns, one on the port side and the other on the starboard side. There was a gun tied to the side of junk 447, which he also photographed. The bullet produced by Dr. Court and stated to have been taken out of Chan Kwo Kuen, was also photographed, but the prints were not ready.

### Weather Maps

Mr. G. S. P. Heywood, Assistant Director of the Royal Observatory, was the next witness called.

Mr. Whyatt: Is it the practice of the Observatory to compile weather maps twice daily?—Yes, morning and afternoon.

From what data are these weather maps compiled?—Reports from land stations all over the Far East and from ships by wireless.

From your experience and knowledge as these weather maps for the most part accurate?—Yes.

Do you get corroborative information after you have compiled the map?—Yes, I find this subsequent information does corroborate what I have entered.

Have you brought with you certain weather maps covering September 21 to September 27?—Yes.

These maps show the sort of weather prevailing in the vicinity of Chiling Lighthouse throughout that period. One can deduce from them what sort of weather prevailing there during that time?—Moderate east and E.N.E. winds throughout the period except on September 27 when the wind was light westerly. The weather was fair of fine and the visibility was good and it is unlikely that any strong winds were experienced near the Chiling Point during that period.

### Ships' Reports

Can you give us the miles per hour when you say moderate?—13-18 m.p.h., nothing exceeding 20 miles.

After compiling these maps did you subsequently receive information (Continued on Page 4.)

## No Hongkong Ships Going To Canton

### Pearl River Passage Too Shallow For Average Craft Must Transfer Cargo

Although the Pearl River has been opened for two days no local steamer has yet left here for Canton, though several have sailed for Wuchow and other river ports.

Canton River steamers such as the Tishan, Fishan, Tung On and Sai On which have been out of their regular service from Hongkong to Canton for the past three weeks, have not received orders to resume their runs. It was learned this morning, this being due to the fact that only ships drawing not more than seven feet would be able to pass the River barrier.

Should these steamers proceed to Canton, however, Canton River regulations just issued will require them, as they are deep draught ships, to anchor at the inner end of Bocca Tigris to transfer cargo and passengers to light draught vessels to be conveyed into Canton.

The route to Canton is now marked by green flags between Beating Field Point and Whitcomb Island, Lat. 22° 52' 10" North, Long 113° 33' 15" East; and thence via Hill Passage.

### Regulations

The following is a summary of the regulations for navigation of the Canton River which has been posted at the Harbour Office:

1. Incoming ships anchor at Sampan Chau, hoist Pilot flag and wait for pilot to board;
2. Outgoing vessels anchor at inner end of Bocca Tigris, and carry out same procedure;
3. No navigation on Sunday but pilots available between 0800 and 1800 hours on all other days;
4. Deep draught incoming ships anchor at inner end of Bocca Tigris to transfer cargo and passengers to light draught vessels;
5. Draught limit between Bocca Tigris and Canton, seven feet;
6. Route to Canton marked by green flags between Beating Field Point and Whitcomb Island, Lat. 22° 52' 10" North, Long 113° 33' 15" East and thence via Hill passage.

Knocked down by a motor car driven by Chan Hon-sing in Wing Lok Street near Morrison Street yesterday, an unknown Chinese boy, aged about six, was taken to the Queen Mary Hospital.

## "If We See You Again We Will Kill You"

### JAPANESE WARNING JUNKMEN

Master Reports Damage Done By Warship's Party

Japanese warships are now warning junk people off Hongkong to keep clear of blockade ships otherwise they will be killed, according to a story told by a junk master, Leung Hing-wai, who brought his damaged craft into harbour to-day.

"You Chinese are killing a lot of Japanese," a Japanese officer is alleged to have told him. "If we see you again we will kill you."

Leung's is a Shaikwan junk. He had been fishing and was returning on October 16 when, off Namoh, near Bias Bay, a Japanese warship overtook him. There were 23 people aboard his junk, Leung told the police this morning, and he first saw the warship when it was about 2,000 yards away, coming up astern. When they drew nearer, the Japanese lowered a small boat and nine seamen, armed with chopppers and an axe boarded the junk.

They proceeded to chop through rigging and running gear and the big mainsail, flopped overboard. They also took a few small cannon from the junk and two old muskets. Just before the officer in charge of the party left the Chinese craft he gave Leung his warning.

Leung and his crew later retrieved their sails and reached Shaikwan yesterday.

### RUSSIANS ALLEGEDLY BOMBING SINKIANG

Tokyo, Oct. 21. Without revealing its source of information, Domei reports that "certain quarters in Tokyo" have received from British sources in India reports to the effect that the Soviet, seeking the conquest of Sinkiang, bombed Kashgar, Yarkand, Khotan and other cities.

The report states that the British Government is studying the possibility of the Soviets entering Sinkiang from Outer Mongolia, and the possibility that the British might protectively invade Sinkiang through Tibet.

The report adds that the Soviets used 15 airplanes direct from "Home" instead at Urumtsi, which is also known as Tihwafu.

The report concludes: "The inhuman acts of the Soviet air force in attacking non-combatant citizens and also bombing unprotected towns are the most vicious kind ever."

—United Press.

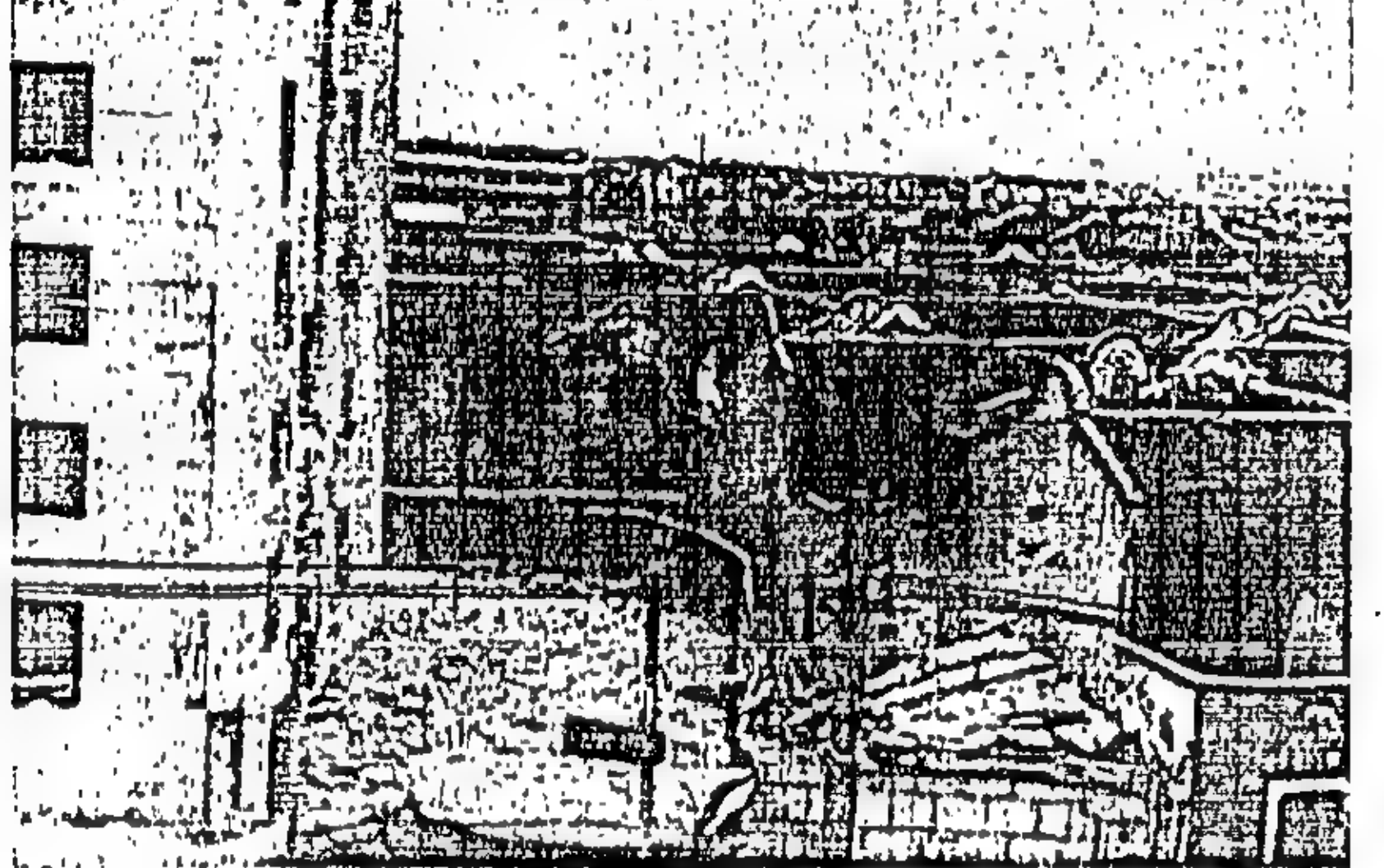
### SPANISH GENERALS CHARGED

Conspiracy In Malaga's Fall Is Allegation

Valencia, Oct. 20. A sensation has been caused by the arrest here of three prominent generals on charges of conspiracy in connection with the fall of Malaga.

They are General don Terbio Cabrera, General don Jose A. Arenal and General don Manuel Artigas. General don Fernando Monje has been arrested at Barcelona on similar charges.—Reuter.

### CITY STILL AS DEATH



Looking north, past the corner of the North Station Administration Building, a panorama of destruction and death spreads as far as the eye can reach. This is Chapei. Scene of major fighting twice within five years, the thriving Chinese city had not recovered from the 1933 battles when the Japanese again pounded it with artillery. Here Chinese troops have made a gallant stand, and are still holding their lines. When the guns are silent, as when this picture was taken, Chapei might be a city of the dead. There is no sound from its homes and streets which once teemed with life; only the crack of a sniper's rifle, or the bark of a trench mortar, which may loose another storm of shell upon this luckless spot. The property loss runs into many millions.

## TAZANG DRIVE CONTINUING

### Chinese Maintain 8,000 Attackers Dead At Hsinkow

Shanghai, Oct. 21. The Japanese drive on the Tazang front is continuing.

It is understood that General Matsui, Japanese Commander-in-Chief, has gone to the front to direct operations.

There has been sporadic Japanese shelling of Chapei and over 30 Japanese planes carried out their routine of bombing the Chinese rear at dawn to-day.

It is claimed by *Central News*, that the Chinese 8th Route Army wiped out 8,000 Japanese at Hsinkow.—United Press.

### Eight Air Raids

Shanghai, Oct. 21. Air raids occurred in Shanghai no less than eight times last night being encountered between 12.30 and 1.30 a.m. The majority of them were over without residents being any the wiser.

Mystified observers on the Bund accustomed to the spectacular fury with which all former raids had been greeted, were at a loss to account for the absence of anti-aircraft fire in any quantity.

Searchlights scanned the skies from all parts of Hongkew, Yangtze-poo and farther down the Whangpoo, but there was little firing. Several bombs were dropped, but the extent of the damage is unknown.—Reuter.

### Stubborn Resistance

Peking, Oct. 21. A Japanese military spokesman admits that a stubborn resistance is being encountered in Shantung, but declines to admit that there has been a withdrawal of Japanese troops.

A foreign report says that hitherto reinforcements for Hanfuchu from the south have failed to appear with the exception of one Kwang brigade which arrived at Tolan a few days ago, but promptly returned by the Lungwa-Shanghai Railway.—Reuter.

### Chinese Offensive

Shanghai, Oct. 21. Fighting broke out on two separate fronts in Kiangnan late last night as the Chinese launched a terrific offensive on the Japanese entrenched southeast of Fuh Tan University and near Miaohong.

Pushing along East Recreation Road and Hsiangyin Road, the Chinese (Continued on Page 4.)

## ITALY BREAKS DEADLOCK IN LONDON TALKS

### VOLUNTEER WITHDRAWAL AGREED TO; BELLIGERENT RIGHTS CAN COME LATER

London, Oct. 20. The deadlock in the Non-Intervention Committee over the move to remove volunteers from the Spanish civil war was broken at the eleventh hour to-night by Italy and Germany withdrawing their insistence that belligerent rights should be granted before the withdrawal of volunteers should commence.

Both Germany and Italy agreed that token withdrawals should take place, and that commissions should be sent to Spain to report on the numbers of foreign volunteers fighting with the Spanish Loyalists and Insurgents, upon which date the plans for withdrawal could be based.

An authority, possibly the Chairman's sub-committee, will receive the reports of the commissions and will decide when the withdrawals have made sufficient progress for the granting of belligerent rights to both sides.

## BRUSSELS PARLEY DOOMED

Father Of Pact Is Pessimistic Mediation Best Solution

Chicago, Oct. 20.

Mr. Salmon O. Levinson, credited with "fathering" the Kellogg-Briand Pact, said to-day that the Brussels conference is doomed because "actually it won't be a Nine-Power Conference."

"Japan probably will not attend. Russia will accept the invitation, in which event Italy and Germany will probably refuse to participate, and Portugal is likely to follow the Italian lead. Belgium and Holland are too small to count, except morally.

"China will be the plaintiff, leaving the United States, Britain and France."

He said that since China and Japan are accusing each other of violating the Pact, it provides an opportunity for President Roosevelt to "relieve the king" of his Chicago speech in which he directly accused Japan of being the aggressor.

### SUGGESTS UMPIRES

"I should like to see President Roosevelt call upon the two nations to place their differences before umpires designated as umpires, concerning whom there could be no question of prejudice. Two of these could be Britain and Germany, and if necessary they could name a third."

He believed the United States people would refuse to go to war except in self-defence. "I believe President Roosevelt was wrong when he indicated that United States is ready to launch into a new foreign policy, linking more closely to warlike Europe," he said.

Mr. Levinson said he was in favour of continuing the good neighbour policy which is "inconsistent with condemning one nation in advance." —United Press.

The token withdrawals will take place before the commissions go to Spain.

### Substantial Progress

A communique says that a substantial degree of progress has been achieved towards agreement in the main points at issue.

Representatives, it is understood, will report to their Governments the substance of the discussions, and the sub-committee will meet again at 3 p.m. on October 22.

Meanwhile, the chairman, Lord Plymouth, will consider what machinery is required to carry out M. Ivan Malay, the Russian representative, demurred at this suggestion, stating he did not agree with the British plan, and reserved the right to formulate reservations.

Mr. Anthony Eden, British Foreign Secretary, said after the meeting (Continued on Page 4.)

## STOP PRESS

### MISSIONARY RESCUED

Los Angeles, Oct. 20. The Rev. Hugh Lawrence of the Maryknoll Mission, states that he has received a cable advising him that Japanese soldiers rescued the Rev. Gerald Donovan, missionary priest, from Chinese bandits in Manchuria, near Antung.—United Press.

### JAPANESE WARSHIPS OFF SWATOW

Swatow, Oct. 21. Two Japanese cruisers and one destroyer arrived off Mayukow near Swatow yesterday. Chinese forces along the coast are taking precautionary measures to prevent the Japanese from landing marines in that vicinity.—Central News.

### Lines Still Hold

Shanghai, Oct. 21. The main fighting in the Shanghai area to-day centred to the north-west of Tazang where the Japanese continued an attempt to break through the Chinese lines.

The Japanese are being held well in check after what their spokesman claims was only a small advance.—Reuter.

### DARING RAID

Shanghai, Oct. 21. The claim that a "Dare-to-Die" battalion raided the Japanese air base at Yanglingpao, in north Shansi, and destroyed 24 planes, is made in an official Chinese despatch.—Reuter. (Further Stop Press News on Page 12.)



# BABY PAGE

## How to make this matinee coat

THIS baby's coat and bonnet set is knitted throughout on the diagonal. The work begins at the edge of one sleeve, is knitted up to the neck, then the front completed and finally the back.

The second half of the coat is made in the same way and the two pieces joined down the centre back. The stitch is a simple one, and at intervals lines of contrasting colour are introduced. The original set was in white with blue stripes and was tied with blue ribbons. The set is planned to fit a baby six months old. For a smaller size use needles one size smaller than those quoted.

### YOU NEED:

2ozs. Rarunda baby wool, 3 ply, in white.  
1oz. ditto in blue or any colour preferred.  
A pair of No. 10 Virella knitting pins.  
A fairly fine crochet hook.  
1½ yard of ribbon.

### MEASUREMENTS

Coat: Length 12ins., all round under arms 26ins. Sleeve from neck to lower edge 8ins.  
Hat: Round head 14ins., depth 4ins.

### ABBREVIATIONS

K, Knit; p, purl; st, stitch; tog, together; inc, increase; dec, decrease; beg, beginning; ins, inches.

Begin at centre of lower edge of sleeve, using white wool, cast on 3 sts.

1st row: K 1, p 1, k 3 into centre st (by knitting into the front, back and front of the same st), k 1, 2nd row: inc in first st (by knitting into the front and back of the same st), k 1, p 1 till 1 remains; inc into last st (7 sts). 3rd row: Knit, inc in first and last st and knitting 3 times into centre st (11 sts). 4th row: Knit, inc into first and last st (13 sts). 5th row: Knit, inc in first and last st and knitting 3 times into centre st (17 sts).

Repeat the last 4 rows twice more (41 sts). Repeat the 2nd row once (43 sts).

Join on blue wool and repeat the 3rd and 4th rows (49 sts). Join on white wool and repeat the 5th row (53 sts). Repeat the 2nd to 5th rows inclusive twice more (70 sts).

The straight edge of the knitting is the lower edge of sleeve, and the sides of sleeve are now begun.

27th row: Join on blue wool and knit, knitting 3 times into centre st. 28th row: Knit, dec (by taking 2 sts together) at beg and end of row (70 sts).

The work now continues in the following twelve row pattern (the shaping is given after the pattern, so please just read the pattern rows through, then work as directed immediately after). The Pattern.

1st row: With white, knit.  
2nd row: With white, p 1, k 1 all along.

3rd row: With white, knit.  
4th row: With white, knit.  
5th row: With white, knit.  
6th row: With white, p 1, k 1 all along.

7th row: With white, knit.  
8th row: With white, knit.  
9th row: With white, knit.  
10th row: With white, p 1, k 1 all along.

11th row: With blue, knit.

Now proceed in the pattern just given out, keeping edges of work straight to form under arm of sleeves, and inc at centre as follows:

Work the twelve pattern rows twice, knitting three times into the centre st in the first and every alternate row, and dec at both ends of intermediate rows.

Now the side edges increase to form the side seams of front and back of coat.

Repeat the twelve pattern rows once, knitting three times into the centre st in first and alternate rows and inc both ends of the alternate rows.

Now the right front is worked as follows:

Continuing in pattern, on first row inc in first st, knit 59, turn, 2nd row: K 2 tog (this will be neck end), pattern to end, inc in last st.

Still continuing in pattern, now inc one st on every row at side edge and dec on alternate rows at neck edge.

When one pattern is completed work one more pattern still inc on every row at side seam edge and casting off two sts at the beginning of every row that begins at neck edge.

Then cast off two sts at the beginning of every row until two sts remain. Cast off.

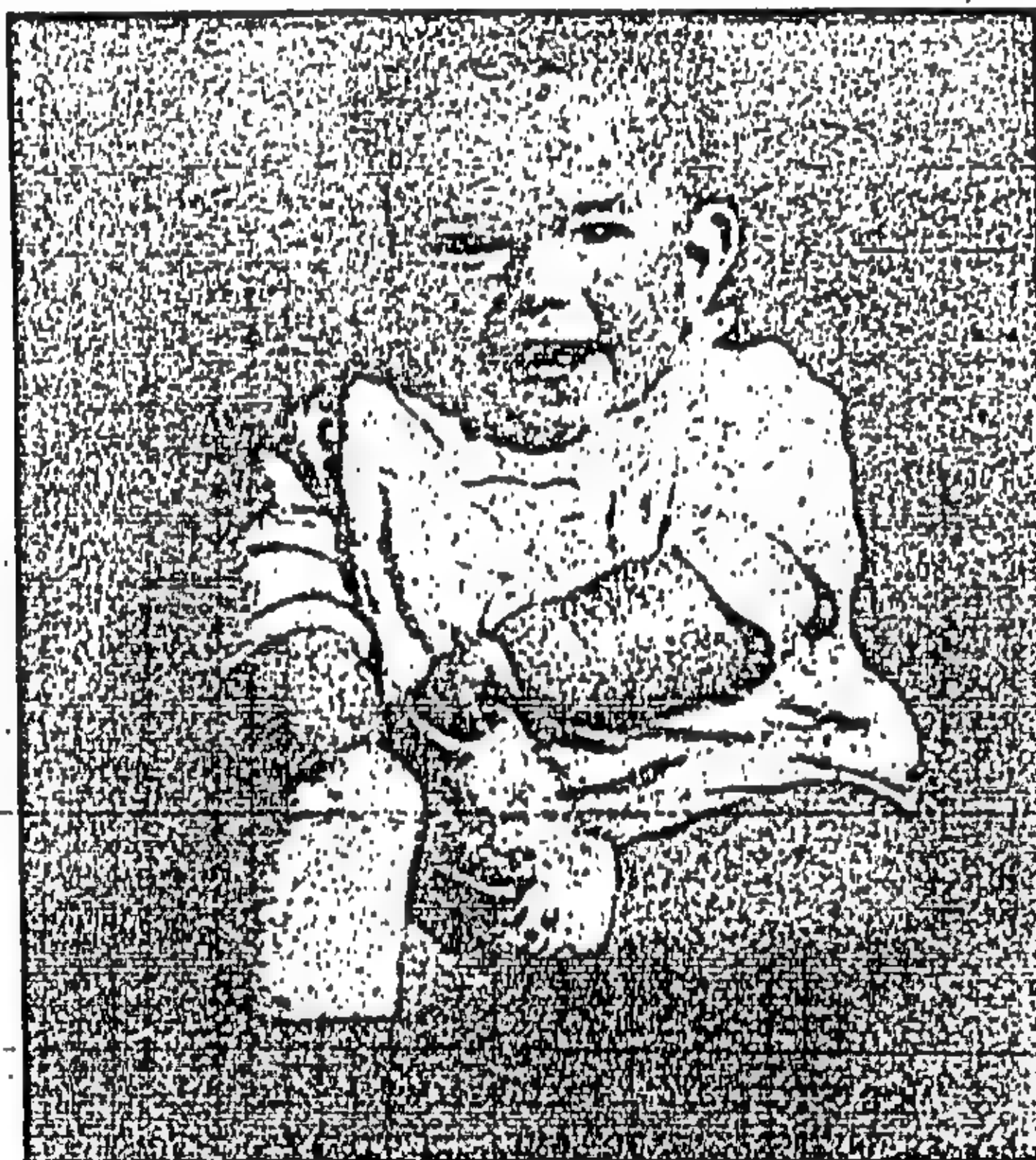
Now the left half of back is worked as follows:

Return to the st left where the work turned to begin the front, join white wool at neck edge, and k 3 tog.

Work one whole pattern inc on every row at side edge and keeping neck edge straight.

Now cast off two sts at neck edge for one whole pattern, still inc at side edge on every row. Finally cast off two sts at the beginning of

—and here Mothers tell when their babies first smiled . . .



I HAD not been on speaking terms with my neighbour for some time before my baby's birth. A few weeks after the child was born I was sitting in the garden with my baby on my lap. Suddenly I saw his eyes go right past me and a broad smile spread over his face.

I looked up and there was my neighbour, leaning over the fence behind me, making silent gestures to my baby, and he had smiled back at her. Needless to say, we both spoke then and have been friends ever since. (Mrs.) M. F.

BABY'S early facial contortions often resembled a smile, but his first real smile was unmistakable.

My sister and I had taken him to the clinic, when he was about seven weeks old. We happened to glance down at him as he lay in my arms, and he gave us the sweetest smile imaginable.

I looked at my sister; our eyes had filled simultaneously. (Mrs.) F. H.

MY baby was born in hospital. She was not very strong, and when she was nearly a month old I was discharged, but had to leave baby behind.

Ten days passed before I was strong enough to visit her in hospital, but I well remember the evening my husband and I followed the nurse into the nursery. When we leaned over the cot, our baby gave us a most lovely smile, which seemed to say, "Have you come to take me home?" (Mrs.) A. E.

OUR baby's first smile was for her father. She is just three months old, and every time she catches sight of him she laughs all over her face.

We think it must be his bushy hair, as he has rather a lot and has a way of running his hands through it when he is reading. This makes it stand up on end, and our other children call it Bushwood.

Now they say that even the baby can see the joke. (Mrs.) D.

## Mushroom Delicacies

HERE are some novel ways of cooking mushrooms which will prevent them becoming monotonous. To prepare mushrooms, remove the coarse part of stalk, peel outside skin, beginning at the edge, then wash them. The trimmings may be boiled, and the liquor used to flavour sauces.

### Mushroom and Tomato Toasts

¼ lb. mushrooms.  
One to two tomatoes.  
1 oz. butter.  
Salt, pepper, cayenne.  
Small rounds of fried or toasted bread.

Cut the mushrooms in pieces, and cook with the butter and seasoning five minutes. Peel and cut up tomatoes, add to mushrooms, stew for a few minutes longer. Arrange on toast and sprinkle with parsley. Serve hot.

### Mushroom Kromesies

¼ lb. mushrooms.  
1 oz. butter.  
1 oz. flour.  
One gill milk.  
Pepper, salt, lemon juice.  
Slices of streaky bacon.  
Batter.  
¼ lb. flour.  
Quarter teaspoonful salt.  
Quarter pint tepid water.  
One tablespoonful oil.  
White of one egg.

Stew mushrooms in the milk till tender. Chop finely. Make a thick sauce with the butter, flour, and milk; the mushrooms were cooked in. Add mushrooms and seasoning. Mix well, and leave till cold.

To make batter, stir oil slowly into measured flour. Whisk white of egg stiffly, and just at the last, stir it very lightly into mixture. Remove heat from bacon. Put a spoonful of mushroom mixture on to each slice and roll up neatly. Dip in batter, and fry in smoking hot fat to a golden brown.

### Mushrooms à la Creme

¼ lb. mushrooms.  
2 oz. butter.  
One egg.  
One bunch of sweet herbs.  
Salt, pepper, grated nutmeg.  
Slices of buttered toast.  
Cut mushrooms in three or four pieces. Melt butter, put in mushrooms and herbs, and toss over a quick fire till mushrooms are tender. Then lift out herbs, and pour off all but a little butter. Beat up the egg with the cream, pour into pan, and stir mixture over a slow heat till egg is hot but not boiling. Season carefully with salt, pepper, and nutmeg. Pile on slices of hot buttered toast.

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## Foundation Garments

CLOTHES nowadays, more than ever, are tailored to the figure, and the slim-fitting line which fashion favours for day and evening dresses is likely to remain popular.

Every woman, of course, likes to achieve that "firm, tailored look," by choosing her clothes wisely.

To look really well, turned out a woman must study every detail of her clothes and personality. In fact, dressing well is no haphazard business; it is like doing a mathematical problem, you need to keep alert all the time, and go through the various stages of unravelling the problem from the facts you know, till you arrive at the correct answer.

Needless to say, every woman is not a good mathematician, nor does every woman dress as well as she might. Many things distract her attention from the real issue, which is to find the most attractive frame for her personality. She is liable to "fall for" an attractive dress or hat she sees in a shop, forgetting whether or not it will "fit in" with the other items in her wardrobe.

The general tendency is, however, for women to choose clothes which conform to the prevailing styles, and enhance their appearance to a reasonable extent, but some of them do not pay nearly enough attention to the choice of a suitable foundation garment. And in these days of slender lines and slim, attractive figures, a smooth-fitting foundation garment is all-important. It should, if anything be chosen more carefully than any other garment.

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# NEW VESSEL TO BLAST PLANES FROM SKY

## Being Studied By U.S. Naval Experts

NAVAL strategists in the United States have worked recently on something entirely new in warships for the United States—a fast cruiser-like vessel bristling with at least 50 anti-aircraft guns which could throw a veritable sheet of shrapnel at enemy air raiders.

The deck of such a ship would be almost as bare of regular equipment as that on an aircraft carrier, but it would be cluttered with guns to train on aircraft (says a United Press report from Washington).

One such vessel, 600 feet long, could mount at least 25 anti-aircraft guns along each side, spaced at 25 feet apart, and thereby have more defence against airplanes than all the battleships of the fleet combined.

### "ANTI-AIR SHIP"

The purpose of such a ship would be to break up air attacks but it would also be used against enemy ships. It is said, its guns would swing at angles of 300 degrees and fire in almost any direction since there would be practically no superstructure of towers and turrets to obstruct them. Three such vessels would give adequate protection against air raids, which many experts believe are the greatest threat developed against battleships in recent times.

The new type vessel would be called an "Anti-Air Ship." It has been studied but so far no concrete plans to build one have developed. Naval experts say it could meet an enemy attack before the approaching planes reached the fleet battle line. Such a vessel would have a time as well as tactical advantage over the air defences carried on standard ships.

### GREAT SPREAD OF FIRE

Battleships of the major navies at present mount only four anti-aircraft guns on each side, or a total of 48 guns which 12 battleships in the average fleet could bear on an approaching air fleet. Experts say that in the span of time when the raiders came within range, and before they could strike, the battleships would have only one or two minutes in which to shoot at them. They could scarcely co-ordinate the fire of guns on 12 different ships in the short time well enough to destroy entirely the raiders.

The proposed new type of vessel, however, could co-ordinate its guns well, and would have more time in which to shoot.

An explanation of the ship was given in the last issue of the United

States Naval Institute Proceedings by Lieutenant-Commander Russell M. Hrig, a veteran of the World War and of the Asiatic Fleet. Commander Hrig pointed out that the best defence against airplanes is a great spread of fire, because the targets are too small and move too fast to be brought down by accurate gunnery. Hrig said in part:

### CENTRAL CONTROL

"We can suppose that side armour has been sacrificed for deck armament and speed, and that she mounts an anti-aircraft battery that will give her better than an even chance against attacking destroyers. Existing for the express purpose of protecting that battle line by anti-aircraft fire, she will always be tactically close to that line and will require no heavy guns and hence also no high control masts, with modern radio dispensing with the necessity for high aereals. Her upper decks, then, will be practically unobstructed throughout her length as in the case of carriers, with boat rigging handled the same way.

"Giving her the length of a modern cruiser, say 600 feet, we can mount on her deck on each side not less than 25 guns liberally spaced 20 feet apart. Practically all of these guns, except a few in the wake of stacks and bridge, can bear through 300 degrees. The control can be centralised in the foremost for the entire battery, with divided control if necessary.

"Here then, as one unit, could be accurately controlled and co-ordinated the fire equalling that of ten battleships, favourably disposed. And with a tactical position toward the enemy, but not in line with the enemy main battle line, such a ship could have the enemy plane formation under fire at least one minute before the anti-aircraft batteries of the battle line would be able to open fire.

"Control without interference from main and secondary batteries gives such a ship an advantage comparable to that of a shore anti-aircraft battery. Changes of course to keep the target on the most favourable bearing will not interfere with main battery fire of the battle line, as in the case with their own anti-aircraft batteries, the modern solution, of armies, with its many advantages. "Three ships of this size and type would exceed the anti-aircraft battery power of the times the effectiveness of the anti-aircraft control under battle conditions. Their strategic usefulness when not in enemy waters would equal that of light cruisers of similar speed and tonnage."

## Grey Owl Pays Visit To London

WA-SHA-QUON-ASIN, eagle-faced "ambassador" for a quarter of a million Redskins, is in London.

He is over six feet of sinewy muscle, garbed in a picturesque deer skin suit.

A courteous, kindly man of about 45, Wa-Sha-Quon-Asin has done more than anyone else to raise the prestige of the Redskins.

"I think that, in their own way, they are just as cultured as white men," he told a representative of the People in "his perfect, self-taught English."

"They never want to go round dominating their neighbours, but just wish to gain a living—no more. And then Grey Owl, as he is called in English, referred to Indian habits."

"Take our custom of painting the face," he said. "Don't white girls do the same?"

"But when people of my race do so it always means something."

"For instance, one dash of colour signifies that a man is thinking wisdom, another that he has been thinking and has got something to say about his thoughts."

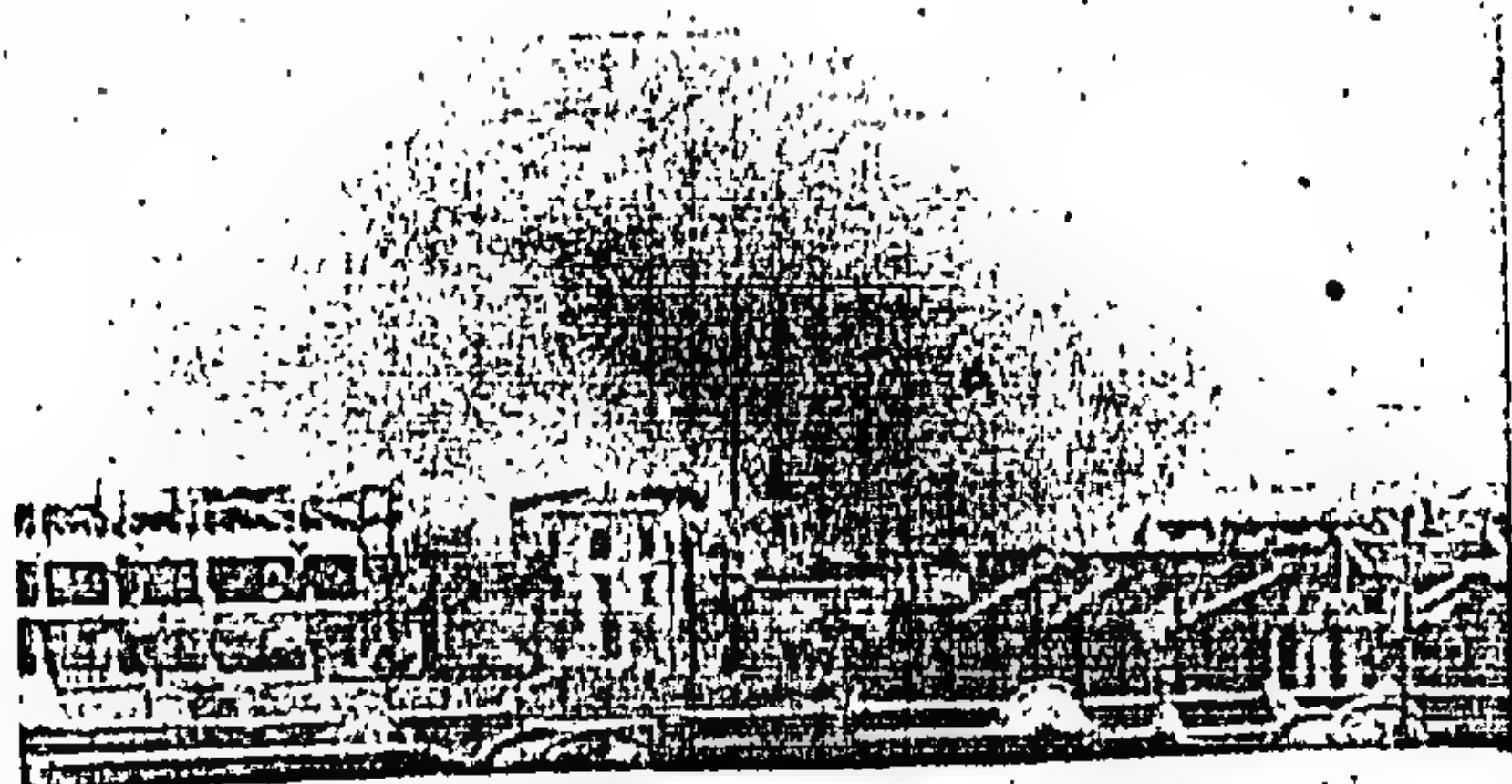
Whenever I hear talk of Red Indians scalping people, I see red," Grey Owl continued.

Until nine years ago Grey Owl spent his life among the Redskins hunting and trapping; then he had an experience that altered his whole outlook.

"I found a mother beaver dead in one of my traps with her starving young crying pitifully by her side," he said.

"There and then I decided never to kill again."

## CHAPEL AGAIN HEAVILY BOMBED



Chapel area in the vicinity of the North Station has again been subjected to aerial and artillery bombardment, heavy property damage being done. Above two pictures were taken at the time that bombs dropped over the densely built-in district around Paoshan Road. Upper picture shows a bomb exploding in the vicinity of Paoshan Road, while lower photo shows a restaurant building being demolished.

## TWO WOMEN IN SHOT OFFICIAL'S LIFE

### One Saved Him, The Other Married Him

TWO women played dramatic parts in the life of Lewis Yelland Andrews, District Commissioner assassinated in Nazareth recently.

One, a seventeen-year-old Bedouin girl, threw herself across his body at the moment her tribesmen's swords were raised to strike him dead.

The other, a girl in charge of a shop in a tourist line, he proposed to very soon after they met and married within a fortnight.

The story of Andrews, strong man of Palestine, was told the Daily Express by his closest friend, Douglas V. Duff, twenty-one former divisional superintendent of Palestine police, who worked with him from 1921 to 1932.

"Andrews, even in my time, was No. 1 on the Arab terrorists' list of doomed men," Mr. Duff began.

"He was loved by the good Arabs, was incorruptible and absolutely fearless."

"The story of his marriage is pretty romantic. The liner in which Mrs. Andrews worked put into Haifa Bay. She chanced to go on a trip to the Sea of Galilee and met Andrews."

"Once he was captured by a war party of the Bedouins, a Bedouin tribe who feared him."

"They beat him, then prepared to kill him slowly as a warning to other British officials."

"Their swords were raised when the seventeen-year-old girl Zualia, whom I afterwards met, rushed forward and threw herself across him, crying: 'If you wish cars in the country,'

to kill the English you must strike through my body."

"She was invoking the old custom of the tribe. She had covered Andrews with her body."

"Zualia stayed by him, helped him find a patrol of his own men searching for him."

"He had Lawrence of Arabia's knack of getting inside the Arab's mentality, out-thinking him."

"Once a woman threatened to start a village war by committing suicide."

"Andrews could not be sure if she was bluffing. He took the 'poison' bottle from her hand and drank it."

"She was laughed out of the village."

"In the 1929 riots Andrews heard that 10,000 Bedouins from Trans-Jordan had massed on the plains below Jericho."

"They had been tricked by a faked photograph of the mosque of Omar with the Jewish flag above it."

"Andrews got their chiefs together, showed how the trick had been played, calmed them with a brilliant speech, persuaded them to go home."

"On that day Andrews saved Palestine."

"We had only 125 British police and a company of R.A.F. armoured cars in the country."

## "ARMY" ANGER AT WHISPERS

### ALLEGED EFFORT TO DESTROY HARMONY

(By F. W. Memory)

INDIGNATION has been aroused throughout the Salvation Army by a "whispering campaign" which, high officials state, has recently been set afoot with the apparent object of destroying the harmony of the organisation.

General Evangeline Booth, the Army leader, is said to have been made the subject of many false reports. It has been suggested that the Army is discontented with her leadership, and fears she is determined to retain the generalship even although advancing years should make her resignation desirable.

There has even been an attempt by public but anonymous advertisement to form a "protective association of Salvation Army officers to safeguard the position," according to officials. Persons interested in such a scheme were invited to "write in strictest confidence to 'Ex-Commissioner,' Those who did so have not received replies.

"It can only be assumed," a high officer of the Salvation Army told me yesterday, "that this advertisement and the many baseless suggestions which have been circulated are part of a scheme to discredit the Army with the public. From that aspect the matter is serious, but from every other it is laughable and can be ignored. There has never been greater unity in the Army than there is to-day."

"As to the suggestion that there is discontent with regard to the general, that is absolutely untrue. Neither officially nor unofficially has her tenure of office been discussed."

It is generally admitted that the strain on the Army leader at present is immense, but no one has suggested that anyone could be more efficient than General Evangeline Booth, who is in her 72nd year.

### DIVING AT 70

Her physical fitness is exceptional. "She is a splendid swimmer," said one of her friends, "and only 18 months or so ago, when she was working on 70, I saw her dive from the high board at the Army Summer Camp at Lake George in the Adirondacks, New York State. Even today she is a keen horsewoman, and rides almost every morning."

There is no age limit for a Salvation Army leader. When General Booth wishes to retire she must give six months' notice to the Chief of Staff, Commissioner John McMillan.



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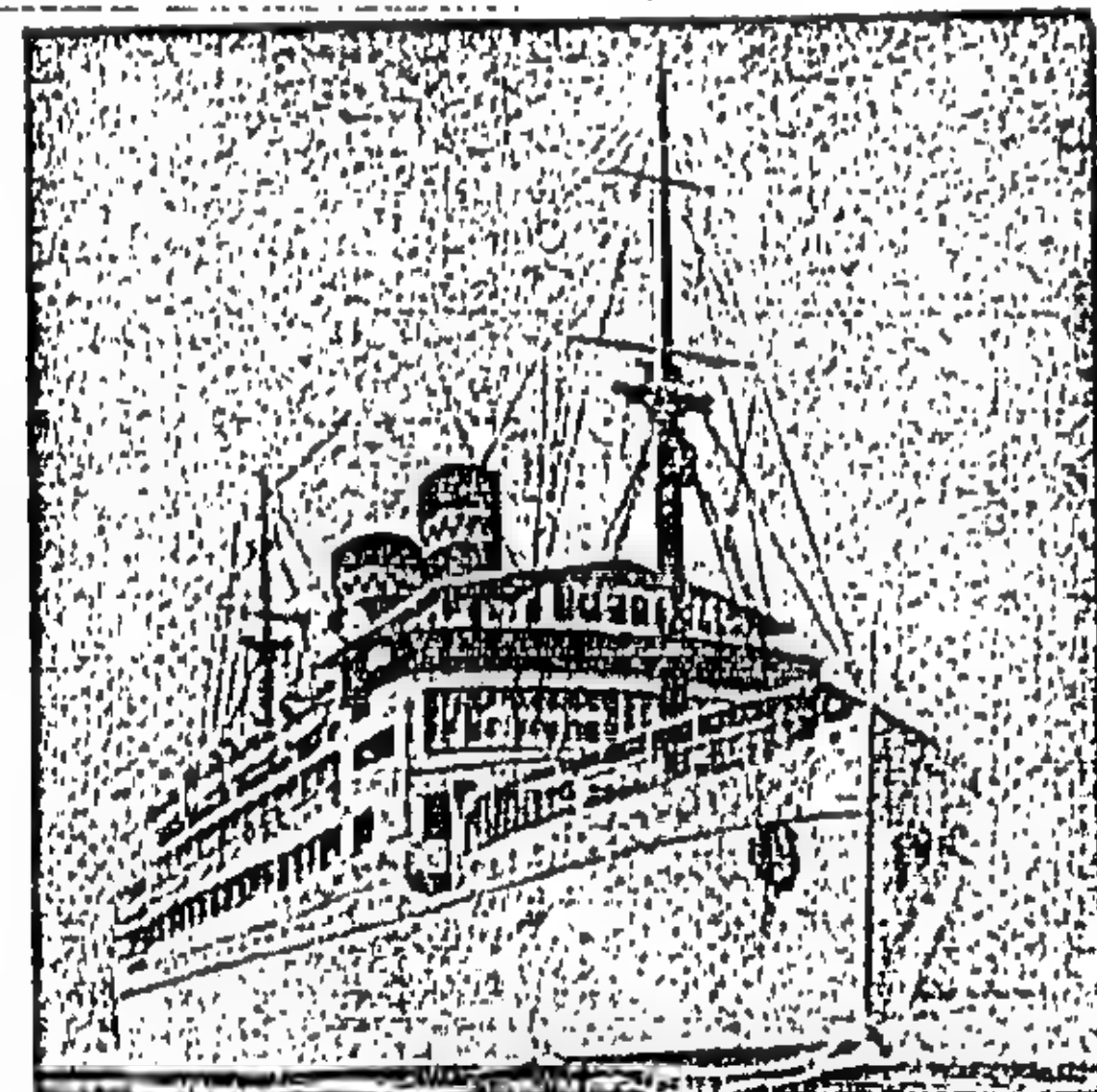
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## Windfall Of £66,000 Nursed Cousin In Long Illness

A WOMAN of 68, mother of eight children, learned that after legal battles in London she is to receive the greater part of £66,000 left by her cousin.

The woman lives in a little house at Westhoughton, Lancs, in which died her relative and friend who left her the fortune.

She is Mrs. Ann Griffin. It was announced in London that she is to receive the greater part of the money left by Miss Mary Brindle who, in the twilight of her life, returned to a house a few doors from that occupied by Mrs. Griffin.

Miss Brindle left £20,077, with net personality of £265,906. Death duty amounted to £211,314. Probate has been granted after judgment had been given in an action—Griffin and another v. Miller and others.

In her will Miss Brindle left the residue of her property to Mrs. Griffin, "who to the date of this will has nursed me with great care during my long illness."

Mrs. Griffin was not at all excited by the news that she has come into a fortune. "I do not intend to spend the money in rushing about," she said.

"All I desire is to stay in my little house here and to take another holiday in Ireland. There is Irish blood in me and for five or six years I have gone over there to enjoy a holiday."

"Now I shall, four Ireland and come back to my house here."

## WARRANT FOR ARREST OF "KIDNAPPED" GENERAL

### New Developments Expected In Paris Mystery

SENSATIONAL developments are expected in the Paris case of the supposed "kidnapped" White Russian general.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of General Skoblin, one of the missing men.

His wife has been charged with complicity in the kidnapping of and violence against General de Miller, the other missing general.

The Sunday Express Paris correspondent, telephoning last week, said:

White Russians of every shade of political belief have for some time suspected General Skoblin of being in reality an agent of the Soviet Secret Police.

They are now convinced that he was not kidnapped, but fled after having led General de Miller, head of the White Russian Ex-Service-men's Organisation, into a trap.

General Erdell, who presided at a court-martial before which General Skoblin appeared in March

1935, on suspicion of being a Soviet secret agent, told a Paris *Sole* reporter that he was acquitted owing to lack of conclusive proof, and remained a member of the association.

The attitude of General Skoblin concerning General de Miller has been highly suspicious," he said.

### TOOK A POTION

Police officials questioned General Skoblin's wife all day. She took a potion every three hours during the night to quieten her nerves, lying on a bed in a room at police headquarters.

The police are not satisfied with her statements concerning her movements and those of her husband on the night when the two generals vanished.

Mme. de Miller, the wife of the general, has lodged a formal complaint of abduction with the authorities.











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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1937.

**China's Expectations**

The word has been passed, and Republican Party leaders in the United States, with the advocates of American isolationism, are in full cry. Led by Governor Alfred Landon, Republican candidate for the Presidency in the last election, they are tearing to pieces the carefully constructed policy of President Roosevelt who has pledged the United States to defend the sanctity of treaties and to use his influence to end aggression. President Roosevelt is accused of assuming the responsibility of a one-man Government and abusing the powers vested in his office. The critics warn that a mistake on his part may lead the country into war.

On the face of things, President Roosevelt is in a shock-proof position as far as his foreign policy is concerned. In the first place, he has made no positive commitments. He is sending a representative to the Brussels conference, but that does not even mean that the United States Administration will back action the powers decide upon there—if any action is taken. Mediation is his intention. There is no suggestion that the United States, or any other power, will take drastic steps to curb Japanese aggression, or that the "quarantine" which President Roosevelt suggested as a means of ending violations of treaties and defending obligations of all sorts in the future will be put forward as a remedy in the present case. It is a pity, but for all the fine phrases spoken on China's behalf, extolling the virtue of her cause and condemning her opponent's, there is small prospect of the Brussels conference doing anything more than expressing disapproval of the whole affair, and of Japan's irresponsibility. President Roosevelt's critics are a little previous.

But if China is to be disappointed by the result of the Brussels conference, she may find reason to congratulate herself on the turn of events in the direction of Urga. There, reports yesterday indicated, things are moving with rapidity. The predicted Japanese move in Outer Mongolia appears to be gaining momentum, with Prince Teh definitely supporting the

**T**ODAY is pay day on the Stock Exchange.

Once every fortnight the Stock Exchange has a settlement when all the business carried out during the previous fortnight has to be squared up.

Genuine investors pay for their purchases and speculators collect their profits or pay their losses.

Today's pay day will be one of the largest for some time, as the losses of speculators who have been caught out in the recent slump on Wall-street run into many millions.

What is all this slump about?

When the man in the street opens his morning paper nowadays, so often as not the headlines tell him Stock Exchange prices have slumped again, while in the next column another headline announces that company profits have risen to new record levels.

He finds these announcements hard to reconcile. I don't blame him.

**STOCK EXCHANGES** are peculiar places inhabited by rather peculiar people.

The London Stock Exchange has over 5,000 members herded together in an out-of-date building much smaller than the Albert Hall.

Communication with the outside world is mainly by telephone. Stockbrokers seldom, if ever, go near the company in whose fortunes they are interested.

Japanese cause against Russia and China. It is fairly obvious, from the first meagre messages, that Japanese influence at the Outer Mongolian capital is in the ascendancy, and will continue so. But as Japanese prestige grows in that area, so the danger of a collision with Russian interests increases.

It is certain that Russia will do everything possible to keep out of trouble in Mongolia and Siberia, and her severance of treaty bonds with Mongolia, guaranteeing assistance against any attack by a third power, is highly significant, if true. The Russian retreat is not altogether dignified. But Russia's caution is due to her fear of attack on another frontier, and until conditions are more certain elsewhere she will be slow to move to resist Japan's expanding influence. With Italian and German support at Brussels, Japan would feel her position more secure, but she is carrying her campaign into a place of deadly diplomatic quagmires when she tampers with Mongolian autonomy and Russian sovereignty.

The B.B.C.'s troubles began to appear in the latter half of last year. By December £124,000 had been spent on television. The Corporation regarded that figure with misgiving and stated openly that it was a good deal of money spent on pre-arranged work and tests, charges which, generally, should not have to be incurred again. But 1936 saw only two months television service. The B.B.C., in both their spoken and their written word, are very discreet. But it is obvious where they consider a remedy lies for their

**NOTE:** This article was written three weeks ago, when the first signs of the slump on the American Stock Exchanges made themselves apparent. However, in view of yesterday's reports from Wall Street, the article is very timely and informative.

**Plain Man's  
guide to a  
Stock Exchange  
Panic**

by  
**STEWART GILLIES**  
Daily Express City Editor

Few, if any, can tell the difference between a blast furnace and a coke oven, and not one in a hundred has ever been down a coal mine, although they are now strongly recommending coal shares to their clients.

The bulk of their news they gather from each other. As with all gossip, the final story bears little relation to the original.

The result is that if Wall-street falls London falls, and vice versa.

Price movements under such conditions are usually so exaggerated that they take little account of the realities of the situation. For example, in the summer of 1929 American securities were pushed up by over-exuberant speculators to such an extent that the dividend return in many cases was reduced to around 1 per cent.

In October of that year Wall-street crashed. For days on end prices of the leading securities fell by 20 to 30 points, until eventually it was possible to buy the shares of many first-class companies at prices which represented less than the cash in the companies' till.

The sensible investor who took advantage of these abnormal conditions to purchase such stocks was, therefore, paying nothing for a share in the plant, machinery and other assets of businesses, which in many cases were worth some millions of pounds.

IN London during the course of the past year prices of many shares were forced up to levels where prospects and dividends were discounted many years ahead.

As a result of the recent setback, however, many shares are to-day giving yields which are undoubtedly attractive in view of the favourable trading outlook.

But booms and slumps seem to me to be due in part to the make-up of the Stock Exchange itself.

In the first place the stock-broker needs no qualifications whatsoever for his job. If a young man is a failure in other walks of life and can find a certain amount of capital, he can always as a last resort go on the Stock Exchange on a half-commission basis.

He is then in a position to pose as a pundit and advise people what they should do with their life savings.

He need know nothing about business, economics, foreign exchanges, accountancy or law. All he needs is a few wealthy friends and the gift of salesmanship.

Such a state of affairs is not tolerated in any other profession, and should not be allowed on the Stock Exchange. Even the intelligent minority of brokers who do know something of what is happening in the world find it difficult enough to be right about investment matters, and agree with this view.

In financial affairs, as in politics, there will always be exaggerated hopes and fears. But with better training on the part of the salesman there might be fewer booms, but there would almost certainly be fewer slumps, in security prices.

**W**E would pay more attention to the forebodings and elations of stock-brokers and the fluctuations of the Stock Exchange as genuine indications of the trend of trade and international affairs, if—stockbrokers would make a real effort to learn more about the major industries of the country. If they would get out and about more.

If entrance to the Stock Exchange was made conditional on knowledge of the subjects on which you propose to charge for your advice.

If there was established a school for young stockbrokers, the curriculum of which would include world finance, economics, accountancy and company law.

**L.S.D. OF THE B.B.C.**

**RESPONSIBLE** officials of the B.B.C. are seriously concerned about the state of the Corporation's exchequer; they see a financial crisis ahead.

Many people were surprised last April when the price of the radio licence was not increased. They believed that the Chancellor of the Exchequer, faced with the task of raising national revenue, would turn his eyes to that 10s and be persuaded that it might well become 15s or a £1.

That did not happen. But there is good reason for believing that the licence fee may soon be increased to help, not the national Exchequer, but the B.B.C. An increase of only half-a-crown, if all of it went to the Corporation, would swell its income by £1,000,000 a year.

Television has proved the radio bogey. When Parliament reassembles it is probable that the B.B.C. will ask the Government to provide a quick decision by the Television Advisory Committee as to how the London television station shall continue to be financed.

Service from the Alexandra Palace, since it began in November last, has swallowed £200,000. Two hours of television daily for six days a week has cost that sum.

**Costly Baby**

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**British Radio's  
Handicap**

financial embarrassment. It is in that part of the money derived from the issue of licences that the Treasury lays hands on.

When you push a 10s note over a post office counter and get in return a radio licence, a shilling of your money goes to the Post Office to pay for collection expenses and one or two minor services; 1s 6d. goes straight to the national Exchequer; 7s. 6d. goes to Broadcasting House.

It is doubtful whether even a Treasury official could justify the 15 per cent. deduction from each licence fee which his department carries out. One may say there is never any morality in taxation. If that is so, it is time a little was introduced.

To the plain man who does not work in Whitehall it appears rather unfair to take part of the fee paid for a specific service and to apply it to entirely different ends.

**Nine Million Sets**

Whether or not this was what the Ulster Committee thought, one cannot say. As everyone knows, this Committee last year surveyed the whole of the B.B.C.'s activities and standing in preparation for the new (1937) charter, the previous one (of 1927) expiring on December 31, 1936.

The Committee recommended that for the next ten years 75 per cent. of total licence fees should go to the B.B.C. for purposes other than television, and that the remainder (minus the Post Office costs) should be available for broadcasting if it were needed.

The Government read the Ulster Committee's report, "O.K.d." the 75 per cent., but decided that the portion should provide for sound and vision services. The Treasury smiled.

The general public should be interested in what happens to the money it spends on radio licences. By the end of this year it is estimated, nine million radio sets will be in use in Great Britain, and the man in the street will pay £4,500,000 for permits to listen-in.

If the B.B.C. were to receive 90 per cent. of each licence fee its income would be increased by £700,000 over the figure holding under the present arrangement.

The alternative, in order to place the B.B.C. finances on a more satisfactory basis, is to charge more for the radio licence. But there is no apparent reason why this should happen while roughly £500,000 annually is being diverted from its more proper purpose.

In the next few months the matter is likely to develop into a tug-of-war between the Treasury and the public, with the Treasury 15 per cent. used as the rope.

Alarm at Broadcasting House is aggravated by one or two other facts. For instance, soon the number of sets in use in this country will reach saturation point, reckoned as 10,000,000. Radio manufacturers do not regard this with much misgiving, for they are banking on a "fashion" in radio—on people changing their sets annually as nowadays they tend to change their cars. But, in the case of the B.B.C., saturation point will mean that the Corporation cannot look forward every year to a steady increase in licence revenue. Income at January 1927 was £300,000; by last year it had risen to £2,510,000; comparatively soon it will reach a point from which, conceivably, it will fall slightly. (Continued on Page 5.)



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## TACKLE WHICH SHOULD BE ELIMINATED FROM RUGBY

By E. G. BLACKWELL

It was interesting to read the other day that the Manchester Y.M.C.A. Rugby Union club has installed a tackling apparatus. An excellent idea. It has become a thing of the past. "Go low" was always the sound slogan for effective—and one might almost say spectacular—tackling. It is still more observed in the Rugby Union than the League code, and the latter has certainly lost a great deal in consequence.

In Rugby League football the tendency of recent years has been to develop and perfect a new form of tackle. The "smother" tackle is called when you wish to be polite. When you are less charitably disposed you call it a "stale" tackle—or a rough-house maul.

This, I am afraid, is another made-in-Australia innovation that has not improved the general character of the game. The Australians are not responsible, but the smother tackle has been perfected to counteract their style of play.

By intensive backing-up the Colonial team destroyed the effectiveness of the low tackle. "Get your man and others can look after the ball," it used to be urged.

I recall Jimmy Sharrock, the former Wigan full-back, who went to Australia with the Northern Union team of 1914, declaring that he never in all his career took a "dummy," but always got his man.

### STILL THE BEST ADVICE

He impressed that reason very strongly upon Sullivan when as a mere youth the present Wigan captain came from Cardiff.

It is still the soundest advice for a full-back, for if the man running with the ball is checked the defence has a second or third chance.

The player tackled must part with the ball, and even if he can make a deliberate pass, there is the possibility that his colleague who is in support may knock-on, or that another defender may be up to over-haul him.

The Australians perfected in truly amazing style the ability to get in a gain when tackled, and there were times when our home players were made to appear slow and cumbersome in comparison.

The smother-tackle came into being to counteract this. Who was responsible for introducing it I cannot say.

I suppose it was one of those things which grew. Something had to be done to check the Australians, and the only way to do it was to tackle the man in such a way that he could not part with the ball.

### INEVITABLE OUTCOME

In other words, man and ball had to be "smothered." Therefore, instead of tackling low, or at any rate higher than the hips, our players went for man and ball, and that invariably meant a head-high tackle.

An almost inevitable outcome was the reckless and indiscriminate flinging about of the arms and even of clenched fists. Worst of all, referees and touch judges have come to take no serious notice of such things, but accept them as part and parcel of the game.

It will be better for the game if this type of tackle is prohibited. No use of passing pious resolutions con-

demning it. It has become too general.

The smother tackle brought in to defeat the Australians has been copied by clubs, and not a single side can be said to have escaped its evil influence.

### RUFFLED TEMPER

In the old-fashioned type of tackle the two players went down together and there was no loss of temper. In fact, they seemed rather to enjoy it, but nowadays a pretty hefty tackle invariably produces ruffled tempers.

There is only one way to deal with this. It should be made a penal offence for a player to incite an opponent above shoulder height.

With such a rule I am sure matches would be much more cleanly contested and the work of trainers and club doctors made much less arduous.

As a start, I hope these responsible for team and tactics in the forthcoming Test matches will insist on our players dispensing with this smother tackle, in order that the public shall see some bright, enterprising football.

Test matches produced the smother tackle. Let international rivalry lead the way towards its elimination.

## LOCAL CYCLING

### Plan To Try Out Route From Canton To Swatow

The Hongkong Cycling Club's activities of late have been confined to club runs at week-ends, training purposes on the island. A number of unpaired road time trials have been held which, however, have failed to produce any record figures.

The following times were achieved during the past month:

September 23, 5 miles, W. H. Peckham, 14.20 mins.

September 30, 5 miles, S. C. Wong, 14.50 mins; Y. L. Ling, 15.35 mins.

October 7, 10 miles, S. C. Wong, 31.10 mins; R. Alves, 31.53 mins.

October 14, 10 miles, W. H. Peckham, 29.53 mins; S. C. Wong, 30.34 mins.

On each occasion Peckham and Wong showed improvement on their previous performances, whilst the first attempt made by Alves and Y. L. Ling are very creditable. Officials taking part in checking the above rides included Messrs. R. A. G. Kenes (timekeeper), F. L. Bradley, A. B. B. and J. L. Smith, in addition to the

## FINAL ACCEPTORS FOR BIGRACE

### Cesarewitch Odds Announced

London, Oct. 20. The final acceptors for the Cesarewitch are as follows with their jockeys:

Buckleigh (Curslake), Dytchley (Pat Healy), Near Relation (Perryman), Nightcap III (Marshall), Solar Bear (Jones), Organeau (Villacourt), Epigram (Beary), Punch (Sam Wright), Sir Calidore (Nevett), Maranta (Weston), Alisa (Windsor), D. Smith, Harewood (Bradley), African Lily (Cliff Richards), Fel (Richardson), Idaho (Lynch), Archduke II (Pratt), Corred (E. Fox), Prudent Act (Christie), Muscovado (Wells), Tapageur (Lacey), and Rependant (Gilbert).

The following have accepted but no jockeys have yet been found for them:

Carleen, Spartan III, Weather Vane, Falles Vos Jeux, Blackfell, Castanella, Earth Stopper, Tote Investor, T. Mark, Belagured, Zeros, Empire Son, Grecco, Third Hazard, Fox Star and Fair Lead.—Reuter.

### LATEST CALL-OVER

London, Oct. 20. The following is the latest call-over at the Victoria Club for the Cesarewitch:

10/1 Epigram t. and o.  
10/9 Near Relation t. and o.  
13/1 Solar Bear t. and o.  
10/6 Harewood t. and o.  
17/1 Maranta t. and o.  
17/1 Buckleigh t. and o.  
17/1 Punch t. and o.  
18/1 Miss Windsor t. and o.  
20/1 Nightcap III o. 22/1 t.  
23/1 Fel t. and o.  
28/1 Idaho o. 30/1 t.  
30/1 Muscovado t. and o.  
30/1 Castanella o. 30/1 t.  
35/1 Organeau t. and o.  
35/1 Weather Vane t. and o.  
35/1 Dytchley t. and o.  
40/1 African Lily t. and o.  
40/1 Falles Vos Jeux t. and o.  
50/1 Fox Star t. and o.  
50/1 Rependant t. and o.  
50/1 Sir Calidore t. and o.  
50/1 Grecco t. and o.  
60/1 Belagured t. and o.  
60/1 Earth Stopper t. and o.  
60/1 Prudent Act t. and o.  
80/1 Zeros o. 80/1 t.  
80/1 Archduke II t. and o.  
—Reuter.

riders mentioned when not participating in an attempt.

Further trials are scheduled and include distance up to 30 miles. Particulars as to club runs and evening spins may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, Mr. W. H. Peckham, R.A.S.C., Wellington Barracks, in spite of the unsettled conditions in neighbouring Chinese territory, two or three members of the Club are intending to carry out a tour in the near future with the object of trying out the route between Canton and Swatow in preparation for future long distance records.

## WEEKLY HOCKEY COMMENTS BY "THE PILGRIM"

### Two County Rugby Matches

London, Oct. 20. Two Rugby Union county matches were decided to-day. Eastern Counties beating Kent at Ilford by 13 points to three and Surrey defeating Sussex at Thames Ditton by 25-8.

The match between St. Bart's Hospital and Cambridge University was postponed.—Reuter.

## SURPRISE MOVE BY K. I. T. C.

### Two Canton Men Turn Out

In their Inter-Section Tournament match against the Radio Sports Club last week, the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club fielded two players from Canton who were allegedly non-residents of the Colony. This was a surprising move on the part of the Kowloon Indians and one which, it seems to me, should not be encouraged.

The Radio team was beaten and took defeat in a very sporting way. Though the Radio men had every reason to protest, they did not do so. The Inter-Section Committee, however, took the matter up but allowed it to slide at the request of the Radio Sports Club, whose members felt positive that an incident so early in the season would not be at all nice.

Had the Committee decided not to leave the matter alone, a replay between the K.I.T.C. and the Radio Sports Club would have been necessary. Nevertheless, the Kowloon Indians would be well advised to abide by the rules and play the game in future.

I have since heard that the Committee has severely reprimanded the K.I.T.C. and has also warned them that if those players in question are included in their team in future, there will be trouble. The Radio Sports Club has been praised for the manner in which the players accepted defeat. My congratulations to them for their fine sportsmanship.

Kowloon Indians have a side which is good enough even without the help of their players from Canton.

### FOOTBALL TEAM

#### Changes In Saints' Line-Up

Injuries to V. Costa and C. Marques have necessitated changes in St. Joseph's line-up in their First Division soccer matches against Kowloon on Saturday. The following will turn out:

R. Marques; J. Bowen, J. Alves; N. Delgado, A. J. Hussain, W. Maher; T. Castillo, A. Ward, D. Leonard, J. Gomes and A. Alves.

## MATCH DECIDED AT LAST

### Police Overcome Club de Recreio

The third meeting between Club de Recreio and the Hongkong Police in the Inter-Section Tournament—the first two matches having been drawn—was played on the Police Training School ground last evening, the result being a splendid win for the keepers of the law by the convincing margin of four clear goals.

It was hard luck on the Recreio that they had to field six reserves: Basto, Marques, Beltrao, Alves, Ozorio and L. G. Gosario were the notable absentees. The Police made no changes in their team.

Though the Police went all out for a win from the start, the first half produced no goals in spite of the fact that they dominated most of the play. On changing over, the Police



J. Goncalves hero of Recreio's defence.

were still pressing and went ahead through Howlett who, following a fine movement between the three inside forwards, shot the ball in between Mendonça's legs.

Inspired by this lead, the Police attack proved too much for the Recs, who cracked up badly. Wall took possession of the ball after a pretty bout of dribbling past M. A. Oliveira and C. A. Marques found the net. The Recs rallied in the face of this reverse, but were unsuccessful. Not long afterwards Howlett and Wall added further goals for the Police.

With the exception of a few break-aways by the Portuguese forwards, the keepers of the law were not troubled and had the game well in hand.

### HOW THEY PLAYED

Tela Singh, Howlett, Parker and Wall formed a perfect combination. The first-named especially keeping the crowd cheering with his splendid dashes down the right wing. Brown, Gough and Willis were a hard-working trio with Brown outstanding. Hayward was the best back. Though they were well beaten in the second half of the game, the Recs gave a brilliant display. Finn, J. M. Oliveira and Gutierrez gave of their best in a weak attack. J. Goncalves as pivot proved a tower of strength. (Continued on Page 9.)



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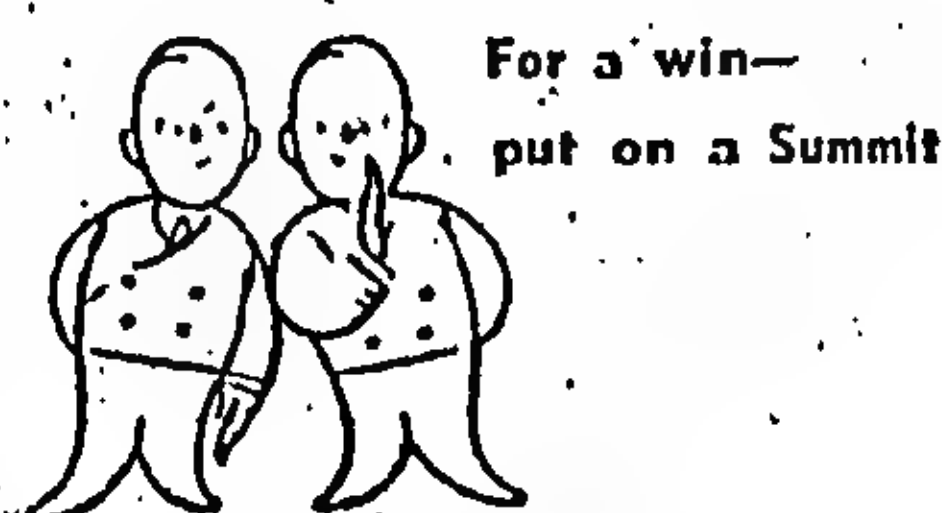
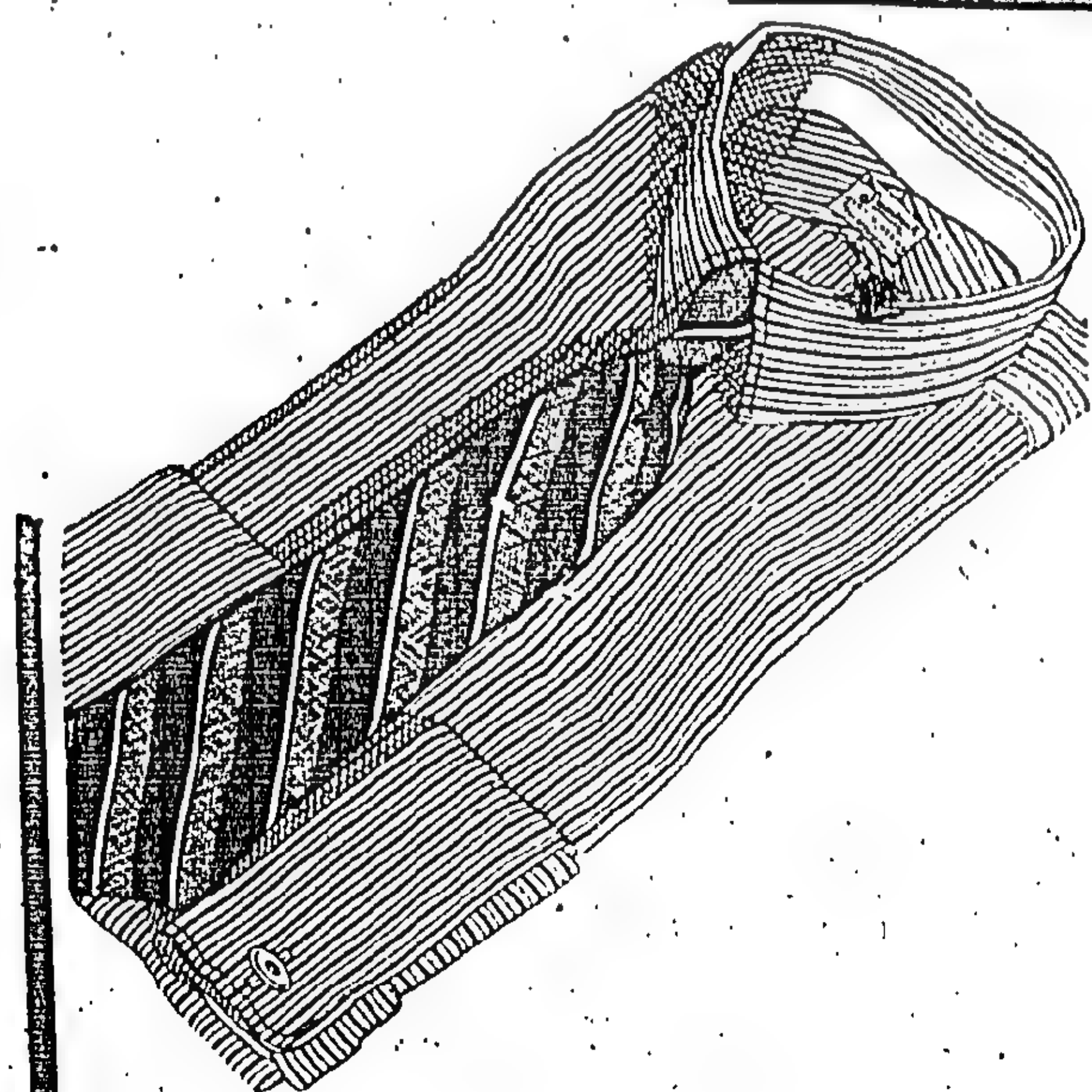


June Hall a future Interporter.

Miss P. Gittins (Captain) Miss Roza and Miss D. Drew. Of the schoolgirls, Miss June Hall in front was brilliant. She uses her feet cleverly and possesses wonderful anticipation. I'm expecting to see her in the Ladies' Interporter team two years hence. The Church sisters also gave a very good account of themselves with E. Churn on the right wing outstanding. Miss M. Lawson did well in the defence. With a good left wing to strengthen the attack, the schoolgirls should go a long way in the Brawn Cup League. I am certain both the Saints' teams will do well in the League this season.

### HOCKEY UMPIRING

All Civilians interested in hockey and wishing to qualify for their Umpires' certificates are reminded that lectures on umpiring will be given by Capt. G. W. T. Kinn at the Aron Educational Centre, block A and B, every Wednesday. Capt. Kinn is so well-known in local hockey circles that it is unnecessary for me to mention anything regarding his knowledge of the game. I would advise all civilians who are anxious to learn more about hockey to make every effort to attend these lectures as Capt. Kinn will be leaving for home at the end of the year and local hockey enthusiasts will not have the privilege of listening to him again.



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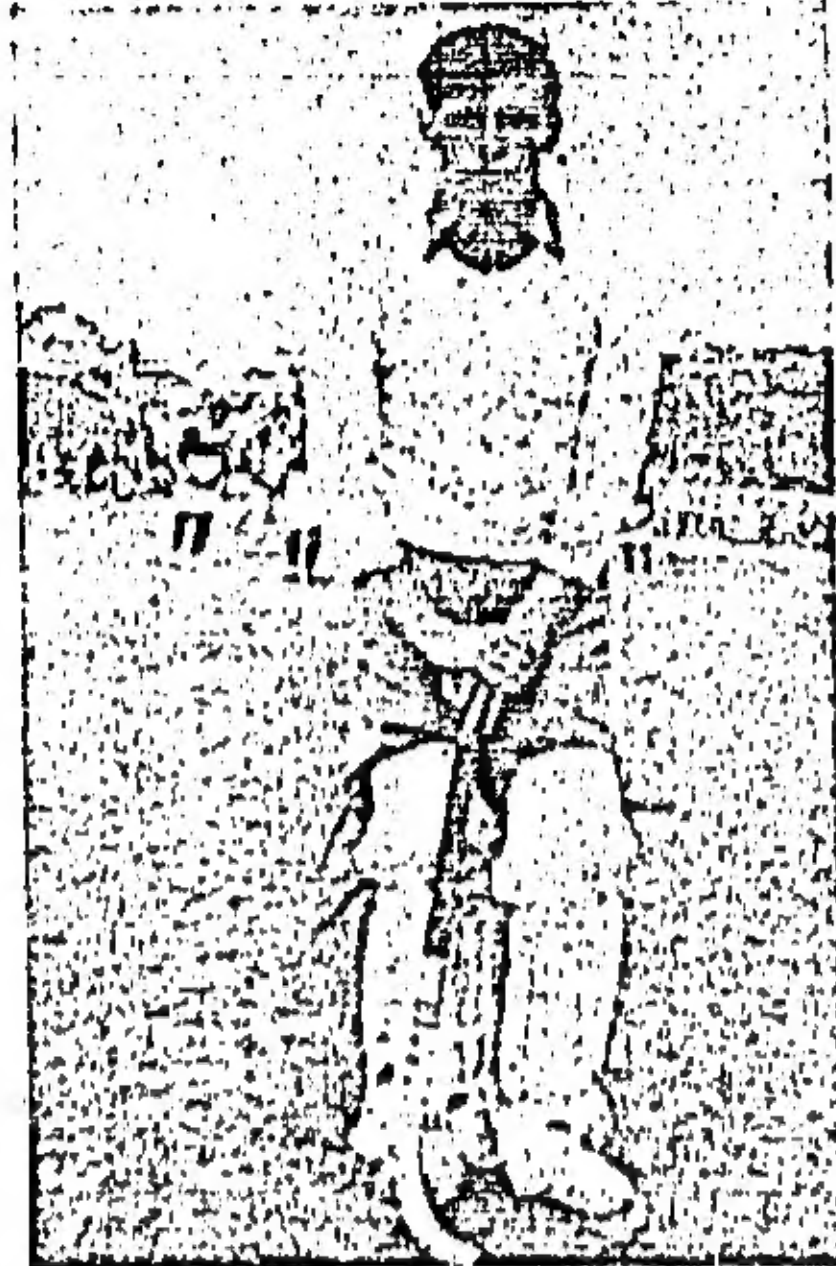


## WEEKLY HOCKEY NOTES

(By "The Pilgrim")  
(Continued from Page 8.)

but received poor support from his wing halves. A. M. Rodrigues played a lone game at left back. The Police deserved their success; they won a hard match in which enthusiasm and vigour made up for a certain lack of the finer points of hockey.

The Police now meet the Hongkong Club in the semi-final.



Howlett  
custodian turned goal-scoring.

## NOTES OF CURRENT INTEREST

A. B. Hanson, who turned-out for St. Andrew's Club a few seasons ago, has made a welcome return to the game. He now plays for the Nomads and was seen in action last Sunday against the Argonauts.

LADY—members of the Y.M.C.A. will regret to hear that Miss J. Weller intends giving up the game this season. I should like to see her change her mind and stick to the game. The "Y" Ladies need her services badly; she has always shown her worth between the sticks.

ERIC MacNider has signified his intentions of taking an active part in hockey this winter. Many will remember the days when Eric turned out for St. Andrew's and the C.R.A. at right half-back. He may be seen in that position for the Y.M.C.A. in future.

G. E. Clarke, the popular Mamak Hockey Tournament Secretary and Radio right back, has given up the game. He is not quite fit at the present moment and hopes to concentrate more on Cricket.

J. S. Grewal, the former Radio right back, has returned after a spell of eight months' leave in India. He is not showing anything like his true form of two seasons ago and certainly needs a great deal more practice.

## LADIES' GOLF

### Bogey Competition At Fanning

The Bogey Competition held by the Ladies' Section of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club on the New Course at Fanning on Tuesday was won by Mrs. D'Arcy-Evans two down.

Other scores were Mrs. T. S. Morrison, Mrs. Redmond and Mrs. She-wan four down.



Robert Young and Florence Rice in "Married Before Breakfast" now showing at the King's Theatre.

## Rifle Shooting Favourable Conditions On Range

The usual mid-week spoon and practice shoot took place yesterday on the Army Ranges and was attended by nearly 50 competitors. The number would have been greater had many naval members been able to attend, but this loss was counter-balanced by the appearance of many new members from the Middlesex Regiment.

Cool weather, clear atmosphere, steady light, and absence of wind conducted to good scoring. Individual full membership, doubtless due to the grant of week-end shooting, has rapidly grown and it is confidently expected that by the end of the month, it will have passed the 500 mark.

The miniature rifle shooting section is about to start under the secretaryship of Mr. C. Watson, of the Dockyard Rifle Club, a well-known shot on the open range.

The Association is looking forward to the arrival of the new Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote. The fact that he was personally responsible for the appearance this year at the Imperial meeting at Bisley of a team from British Guiana has been noted with gratification.

Work on the clay-bird "range" will start this week, and it is anticipated that the first shoot will be held the first Wednesday in November.

Compilation of the Year-Book is approaching completion, and there is no doubt that the second issue will be far more comprehensive than the current edition. Photographs of winning teams at the last prize meeting, however, are still badly required, and Secretary will be grateful for further assistance.

Scores, yesterday:

	S. R. (a)	200	500	000	AVE.
Cd. Gnr. Moody (Scr)	34	35	32	101	
Cpl. Ratcliffe (Scr)	31	34	32	97	
Cpl. Morris (1)	31	33	31	95	
E. R. A. Seymour (2)	31	32	30	93	
Cpl. Tonkings (1)	32	31	30	93	
C. P. O. Fellow (Scr)	31	32	30	93	
Cpl. Miller (1)	29	31	31	91	
Rfn. Managh (1)	32	30	28	90	
Mine. Heather (2)	31	30	29	90	
Surg. Lt. Mackie (1)	31	30	29	90	
L/Cpl. Hawkins (1)	30	32	27	89	
L/Cpl. Downing (2)	30	28	30	88	
L/Cpl. Tonnar (5)	24	29	31	84	
L/Cpl. Kemp (5)	30	27	24	81	
L/Cpl. McNaughton (7)	27	27	25	80	
Cpl. Richardson (5)	29	25	26	80	

All used the "1014" rifle.

S. R. (a)

	S. R. (a)	20	30	20	85
Sgt. Bickell (5)	24	32	24	80	
C.Q.M.S. Bradley (5)	27	27	26	80	
Sgt. Bayles (5)	26	25	26	79	
L/Sgt. Jordan (5)	26	30	23	79	
Pte. Lunnford (5)	26	27	26	75	
Pte. O'Connor (5)	22	27	25	74	
Cpl. Vices (11)	25	21	28	72	
Spr. Albone (12)	21	24	27	72	
S.I.M. Garraw (6)	21	24	27	72	
L/Cpl. Purcell (5)	25	22	25	72	
Cpl. Clark (5)	24	25	20	70	

Moody won the "net" spoon and Morris and Albone "handicap" spoons.

The handicap of each winner has been reduced by one point as shown.

This procedure applies to all S.R. (a) and S.R. (b) spoon shoots.

## HOCKEY TOURNEY

### Kowloon Indians Reach Inter-Section Final

In the civilian section semi-final of the inter-section hockey tournament, yesterday Kowloon Indian Tennis Club defeated Nomads by two clear goals on the Hongkong Club ground.

Both teams fielded only 10 men. In the first half, the Indians attacked continually and half-way through scored their two goals from J. Pinto and P. Singh.

In the second half Nomads had their share of the game and on more than one occasion, came near to scoring. H. Gubbay was outstanding and S. Reed prominent in the attack. He displayed good stick-work but received poor support from his wings. What little assistance he had came from his brother, F. Reed.

### CLUB v. SMALL UNITS

The Hongkong Hockey Club beat the Royal Air Force and Signals three goals to one yesterday on the Marina ground.

The game was very even. The Club scored once in the first half through Divett. Soon after the resumption, the Signals' side equalized through Barlett. They were unfortunate, however, in not finishing the game even. It was in the closing stages that S. Fowler and V. Bond added two more goals for the Club.

### ST. ANDREW'S TEAM

A friendly hockey match has been arranged between St. Andrew's Club and H.M.S. Tamar on the former's ground, King's Park, on Tuesday, October 26 at 5.10 p.m. The following have been chosen to represent St. Andrew's:

H. Millington; F. A. Broadbridge, E. H. P. White, R. Dormer, A. E. P. Guest, A. F. Assen; J. Perkin, A. G. Cox, W. H. Colledge, Rev. J. R. Higgs and R. Baldwin.

## NEW MANAGER FOR INDIANS

Cleveland, Oct. 20.  
Cleveland Indians, of the American Baseball League, have named New-ark's manager Oscar Vitt to manage the team in the campaign next year.  
—United Press.

## SPORT ADVTS.

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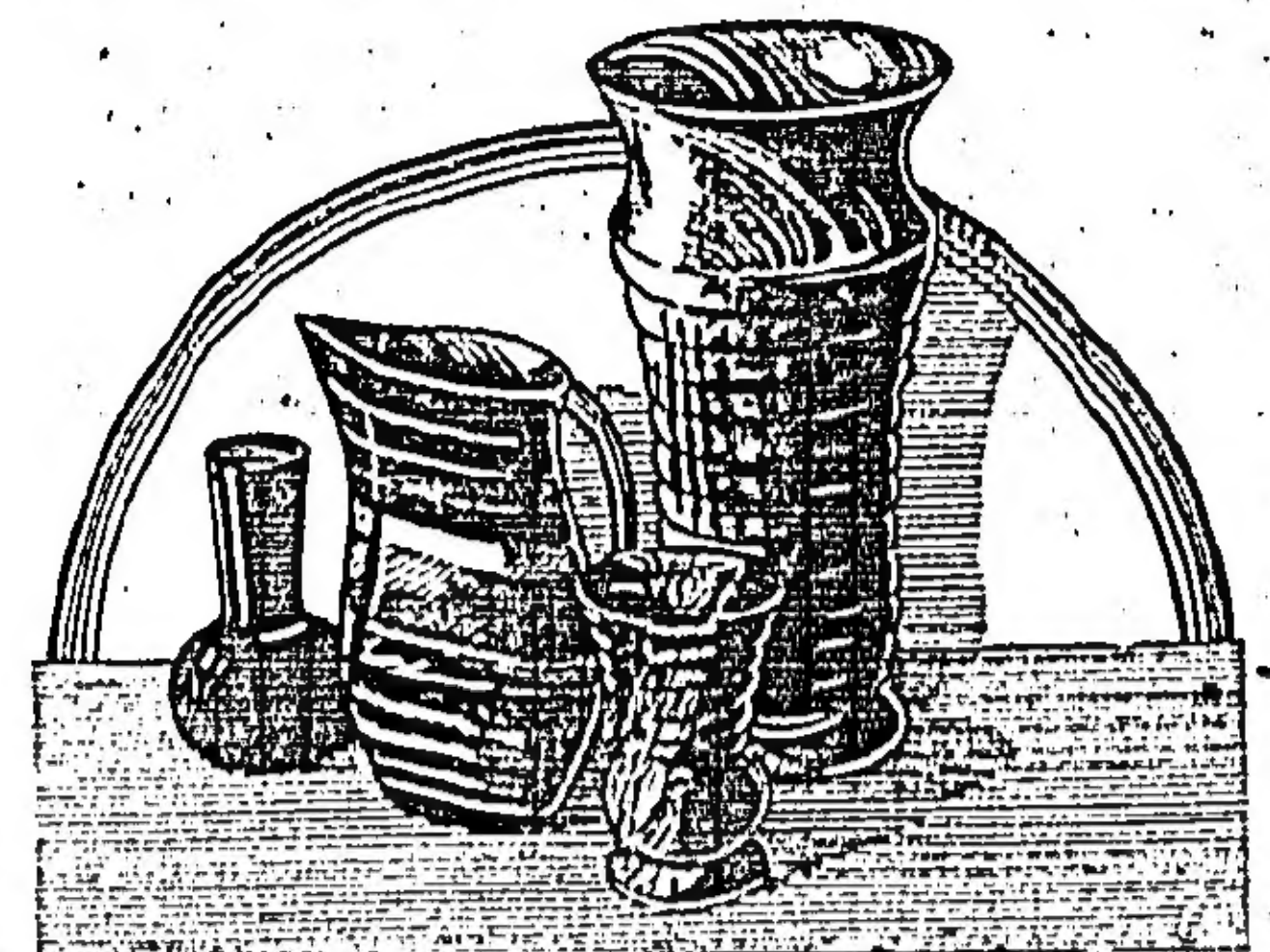
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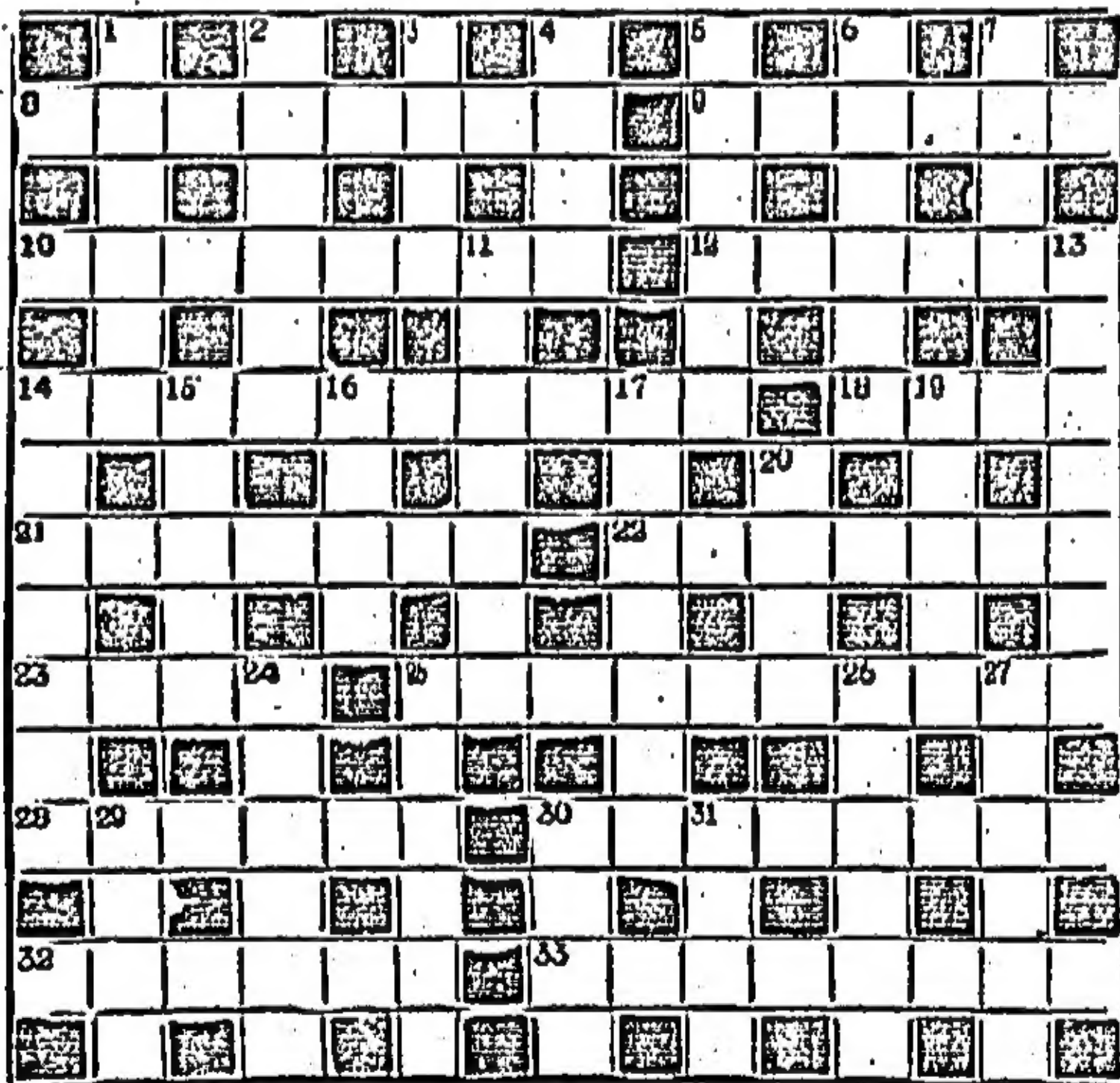
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- Boy and measure for a rope.
- "Iron railings" or when they may be concerned.
- Is this regiment always on the coast?
- The fool to be ill before the insects! Attackers have caused it.
- Is this bit of a boat meant as an obstacle?
- Useless advice to the carver who is not going to make the joint last out.
- A blow to sit on 28 across perhaps.
- The fish to move with difficulty.
- "Air net" (anag.).
- One devoted to crime who sounds as if he prohibited it.
- Prima donna.
- Indigo.
- Crop. Might become worse if decapitated.
- Making a case, in a ring perhaps.
- The mother of a tribe.
- This makes us older.

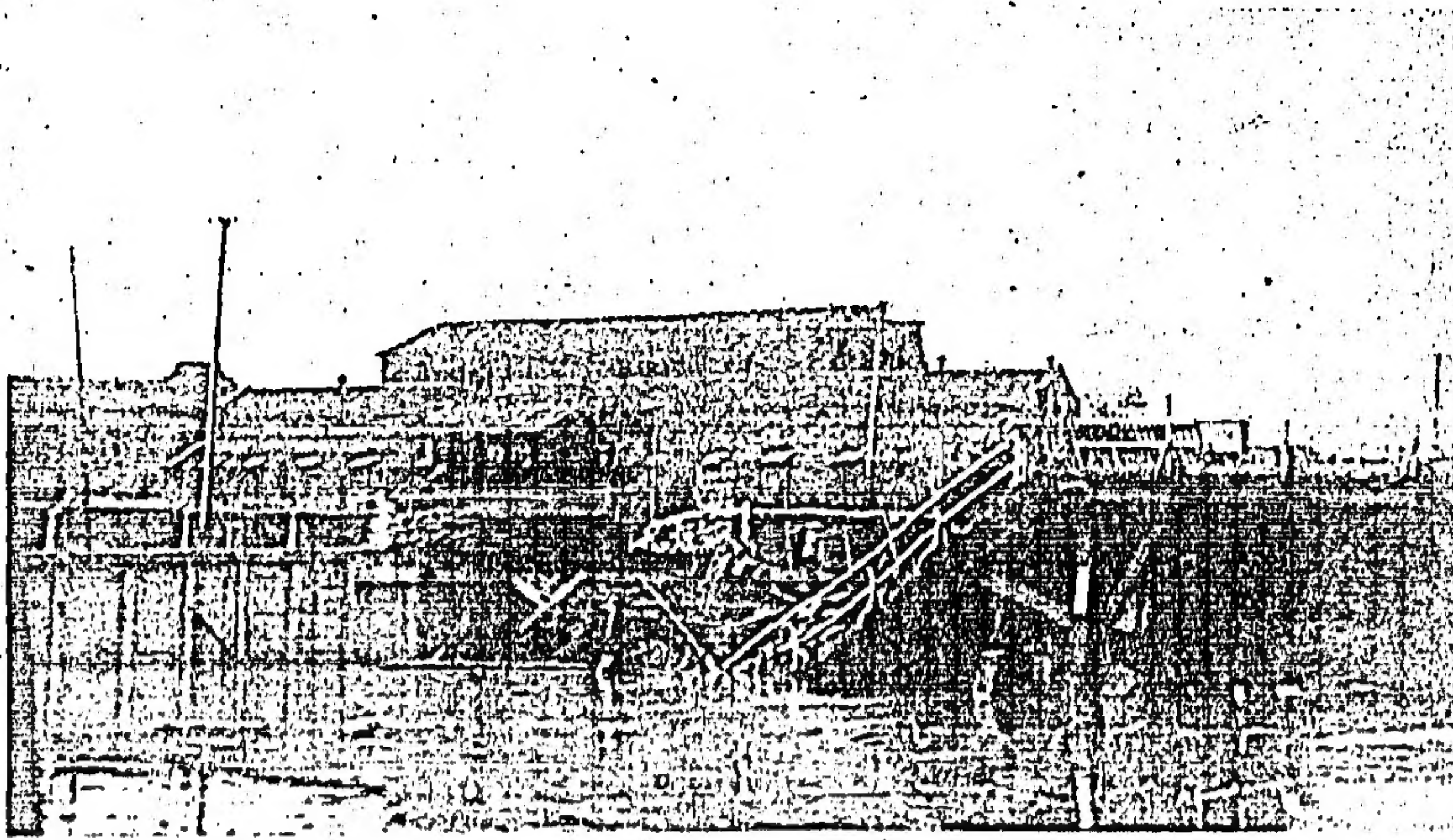
- State from the newspapers.
- Show.
- The girl to make a surprise attack.
- An animal to carry.
- Name of a prison.
- Cock fighting mightily, as the poets have it.
- A shepherd's life is past this.
- "How sad" (anag.).
- Articles and pronoun combine for a song.
- Not well.
- Once a vein now a worker at a motor factory.
- Possesses in olden days.
- Handle.
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## NEWS IN PHOTOGRAPHS

### Latest From Shanghai Front



One span on the Chapel side of the Ichang Road Bridge across the Soochow Creek was blown up by Chinese soldiers and Panatist men recently. The Shanghai Municipal Police and the Fourth Marines, who occupy the Settlement Sector next to the Ichang Road Bridge, were warned by the Chinese authorities and enough time was given to warn the utility companies. No reason was advanced for the blowing up of the bridge, nor is it known whether the Chinese authorities have decided to blow up any other bridges. The above picture of the destruction was taken from the Settlement side.

### STRETCHER CASE ON BOUNDARY ROAD



A wounded Chinese soldier is here shown being carried along Boundary Road, Shanghai by members of the Red Cross following the street fighting that took place along Paoshan and Jukong Roads.

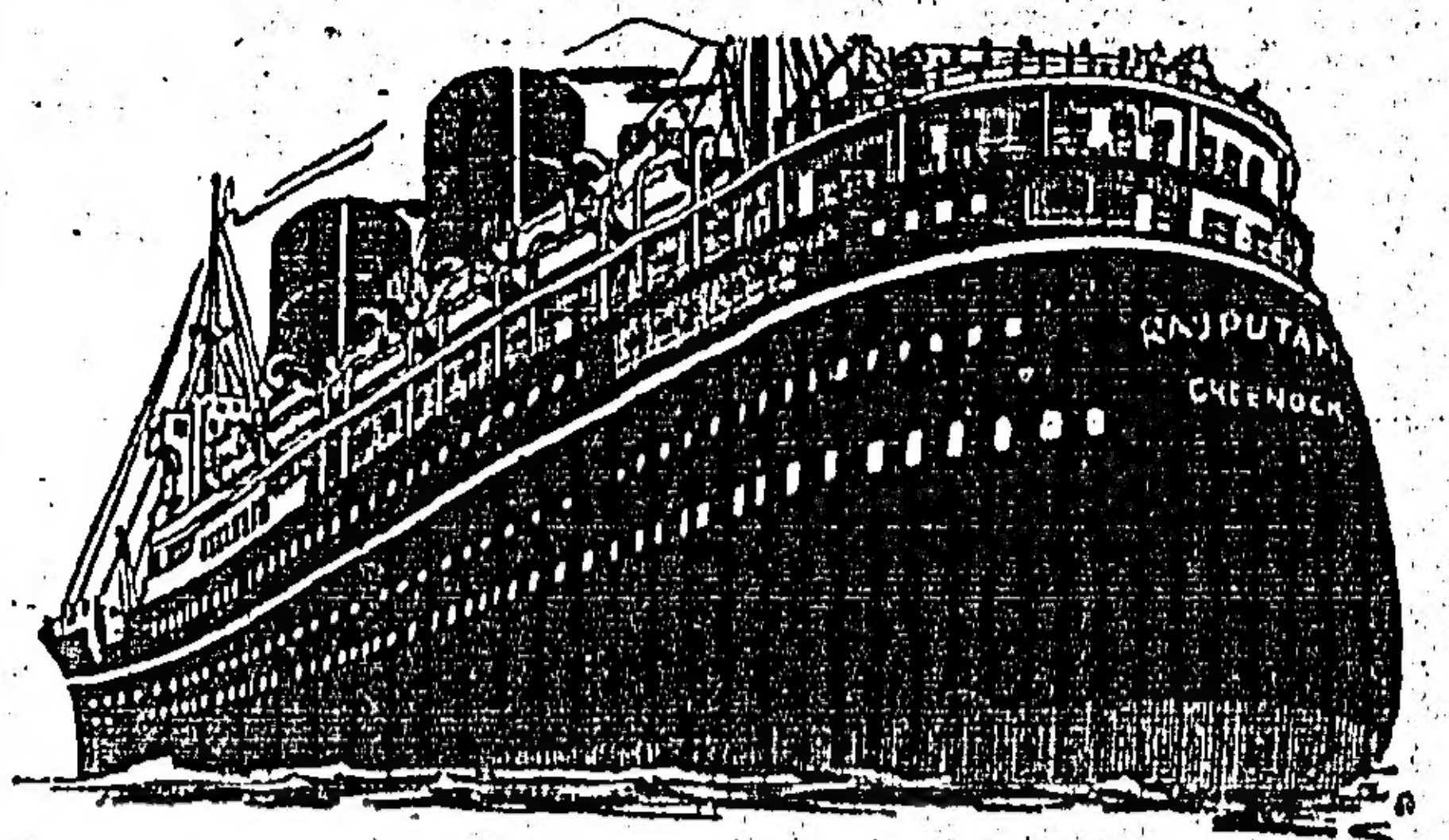
### MARINES MAN DUG-OUT IN AMERICAN SECTOR



The Sixth Regiment of the United States Marine Corps recently relieved the Fourth Regiment which had been on duty in the American sector of the defence perimeter of the Shanghai International Settlement since the outbreak of Sino-Japanese hostilities in the Shanghai area. The photograph shows two "devil-dogs" in a dug-out in the American sector.

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RANPURA	17,000	25th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

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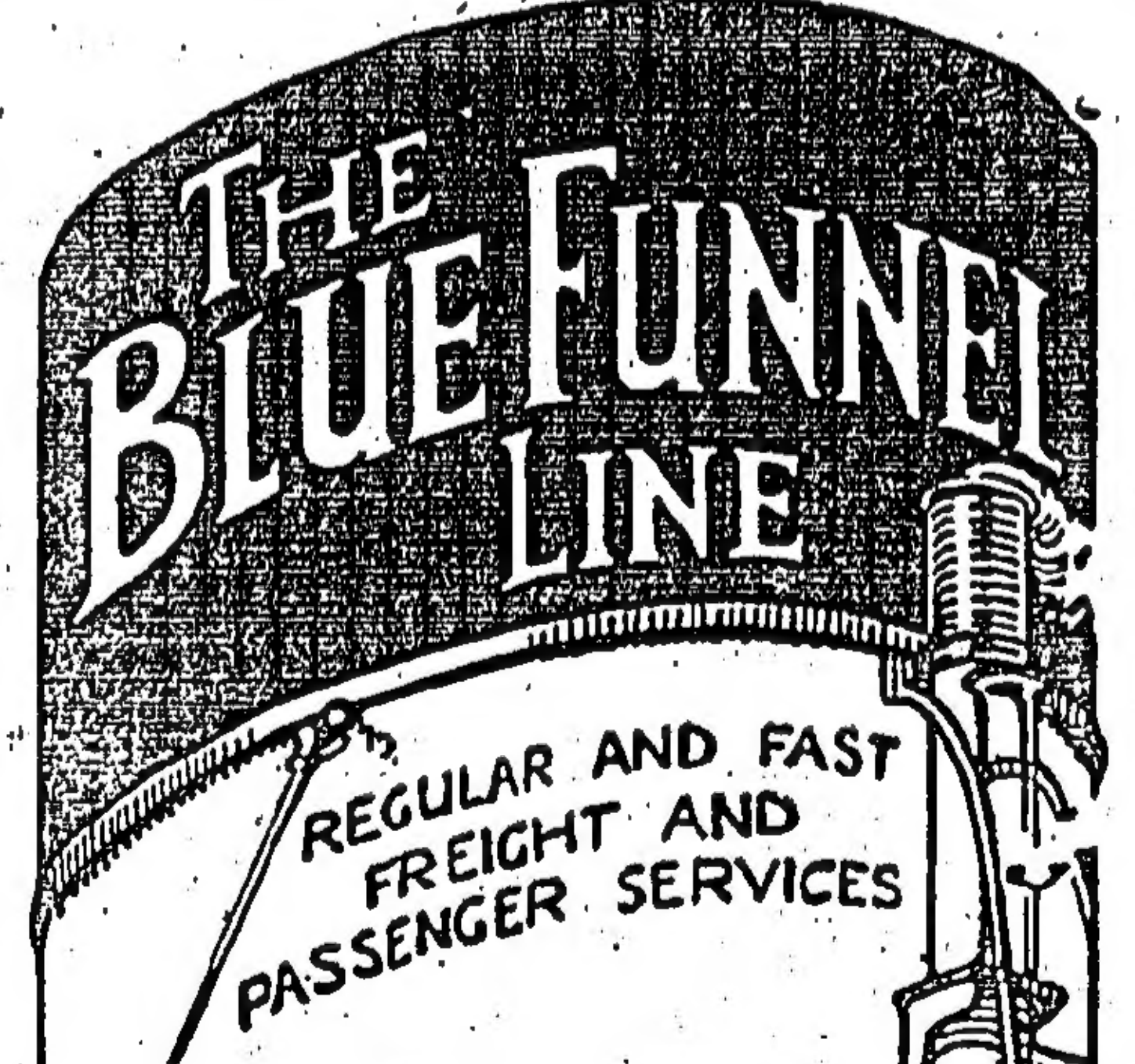
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TANDA	7,000	4th Nov.	Japan.
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## EXTREMISTS SACKING GIJON-CITY

Insurgents Press Nearer To Goal

Barritz, Oct. 20. Government aviators, flying across the frontier, report that the extremists are firing and sacking Gijon.—United Press.

Madrid, Oct. 20. On the Asturian front, the Nationalists announce the capture of Villa Vicosa, as well as Infesto, and now claim they are 14 kilometres in a straight line from Gijon.—United Press.

### STILL RETREATING

On the Asturian front, Oct. 20. Villavieja was hurriedly evacuated and remained practically undamaged, the Loyalists reforming their battalions to the west and south of the village and also on the main road to Gijon.

The Loyalists offered very stiff resistance in the vicinity of Infesto, where 300 "snock" police from Gijon were killed. The Nationalists claim to have captured several hundred. The Loyalist army, estimated at 100,000, is gradually retreating towards the sea. Meanwhile it is learned that the Barritz authorities have captured four Russian pursuit planes and one bomber, which were all manned by Spaniards after a flight from Gijon.

It is reported that the anarchists are determined to ruin Gijon.—United Press.

## GREAT CROWDS GREET KING AND QUEEN

BRADFORD'S THOUSANDS CHEER VISITORS

London, Oct. 20. The whole of the West Riding country side was shrouded with a thick grey mist throughout. Their Majesties' morning drive on the third day of their Yorkshire tour. Despite the cold the King and Queen used an open car. Great crowds gathered in the towns through which they drove and greeted the royal car with enthusiastic cheers. In Bradford crowds thronged the pavement at 15 and 20 deep and in the Town Hall square more than 100,000 people cheered the King and Queen as they stepped from the car. At Lister Park, 40,000 children were gathered and the King and Queen entered a specially erected box and listened to the children singing "Here's A Health Unto His Majesty."

Despite the fog Their Majesties arrived at Shibden Hall, Halifax, where they lunched with the Mayor ten minutes before their scheduled time. After lunch they proceeded to the Town Hall where many local citizens and the Australian rugby football players were presented to them.—British Wireless.

## GERMAN AVIATORS VIEW TRAINING SCHOOL

London, Oct. 20. Fog interfered to-day with part of the programme arranged for the German Air Force officers on their visit to Britain. After an inspection of the flying training school at Wilton this morning, the visit this afternoon to the Bristol Aeroplane Company's works at Filton had to be abandoned.—British Wireless.

## MORE WAGES FOR STEEL WORKERS

London, Oct. 20. A general advance in wages for workers in west Wales was agreed upon at a joint conference of employers' representatives and representatives of the Iron and Steel Trade Confederation held at Swansea to-day.—British Wireless.

### MANILA SHARES

The following business done quotations were received after the close of the morning session by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their Manila office:

	Prices in Pesos	Business Done
Anafak	24	
Atok	18	
Bague	10	
Benguet Consolidated	550	Unquoted
Coco Grove	300	Unquoted
Consolidated Mines	300	Unquoted
Demonstration	300	Unquoted
X.L.	300	Unquoted
Paracale Gunas	300	Unquoted
San Maurice	30	
Suice	10	
United Paracale	30	

The tone of the market VERY QUIET.

### BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS OF ROUMANIAN PRINCE

London, Oct. 20. General Sir G. Jeffreys is to represent the British Army at the celebrations in Bucharest in honour of the birthday of Prince Michael of Roumania. He will leave London on Friday.—British Wireless.

## Appeals For Funds To Aid War Victims

Lord Mayor Calls On British People To Contribute

Thousands Now Destitute In Ravaged China

London, Oct. 20.

The Lord Mayor of London, in a broadcast address to-night, made a moving appeal to the whole nation for contributions to the relief of the war sufferers in China.

Elaborating his appeal delivered on October 1, he said he believed all sections of the community should unite in relieving the distress in China.

He dwelt upon the immense problem of hundreds and thousands of homeless and destitute, and of the dire lack of hospital and medical equipment to combat cholera and typhus, which were already widespread.

### STRONG SUPPORT

He said: "Not the least among the sufferers are British subjects whose homes are destroyed and whose means of livelihood have ceased."

He said that the Lord Mayors and Provosts of Edinburgh, Glasgow, York, Liverpool, Manchester, Birmingham, Cardiff, and Plymouth associated themselves with him in this national appeal.

A strong committee has been formed representing the British Red Cross, the Chinese Association, and the British Missionary Societies, with Lord Donoughmore as chairman, to receive funds.

The organisation in China to administer the funds will be as previously announced, a committee headed by the British Ambassador, assisted by the Governor of Hongkong.

A letter from the Lord Mayor of London reiterating his appeal will appear in all the daily papers to-morrow.—Reuter.

## STOP PRESS

## DELEGATES SAIL FOR BRUSSELS

"No Commitments," Davis Repeats

New York, Oct. 20. Mr. Norman Davis and the United States delegation to the Far Eastern Conference left for Europe by the liner Washington to-day.

Mr. Norman Davis told reporters: "We are open-minded. We have no commitments, but we are determined to study every possibility of a peaceful solution of the Sino-Japanese conflict and its early termination."—Reuter.

### HULL VISITS CANADA

Ottawa, Oct. 20. Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary for State, arrived here to-day on a special visit to Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor-General of Canada.—Reuter.

### WANT CO-OPERATION

New York, Oct. 20. Departing for Brussels to-day, Mr. Norman Davis made it clear they would bid for Japanese co-operation at the Nine Power Conference.

He hoped Japan would attend the conference, and when asked by a reporter whether it was the intention of the conference to brand Japan as the aggressor, Mr. Davis replied: "We have not that in mind. We shall sit down at the conference table like intelligent, peace-loving human beings."—United Press.

### DEMAND APPLICATION OF NEUTRALITY ACT

Washington, Oct. 20. Six peace societies made a joint statement in connection with the departure of Mr. Norman Davis and the U.S. delegation to the Far Eastern Conference.

The statement declares: "Before the Conference discussions begin we demand the application of the Neutrality Act, so as to provide a complete answer. But it is also essential as a first step in defining the United States policy as one of non-participation in foreign wars, and also as one sure means to prevent American munitions—which although blocked from China, are, under the Government's policy, being carried without risk to Japan—from providing weapons."

The statement said that the United States and other signatories of the Nine-Power Pact should move to demonstrate their sincerity as "since the Treaty was signed, none claiming rights of foreign concessions, extraterritorial courts or the right to maintain armed forces on Chinese soil, has relinquished these claims. In their own interests the signatories, by the terms of the Treaty, have limited China's control of its own economic policy."

Asked whether Russia would join the Nine-Power Conference, Mr. Norman Davis replied: "We (apparently) meaning the United States) are not extending an invitation to Russia."

This is interpreted as meaning United States is not in the position to invite anybody.

Replying to a question whether he had a workable plan in mind, Mr. Davis said: "We have several things in mind, but we want to make no predictions. We are going there with a more or less open mind."

In view of these statements, it is believed the Conference will treat Japan with the utmost courtesy, hoping to include her in the discussions.—United Press.

## BABSON'S ADVICE

To Investors In Great Britain

Mr. Roger Babson, the well-known American economist, in a message to the Financial News, advises British investors that now is the time to purchase selected American securities. "I am very glad to see this break in the market because Labour had developed the assumption that there were no limits to profits, while the Labour leaders themselves have been gambling in the stock market. This break is bringing everyone to their senses. The most attractive issues are chemicals and oils, with motors about halfway astery."

"English investors ought not to forget that whole-headed inflation should materially benefit companies with large natural resources."—United Press.

## "SUMMERISH" WEATHER

The "summerish" weather continued this morning, the temperature at 10 a.m. at the Royal Observatory being 78, the same as the corresponding reading yesterday, but humidity had risen to 63, 10 per cent. higher than the last recording.

A maximum temperature of 80 was reached yesterday, representing a rise of one degree over Tuesday's highest, and the minimum was 72, three degrees higher than the previous evening.

Rainfall since January 1 totals 80.92 ins., against an average of 81.20 ins. The anti-cyclone remains unchanged over China and Japan.

The typhoon is filling up the north of Saigon. Local forecast:—North-east winds, moderate; fine generally.

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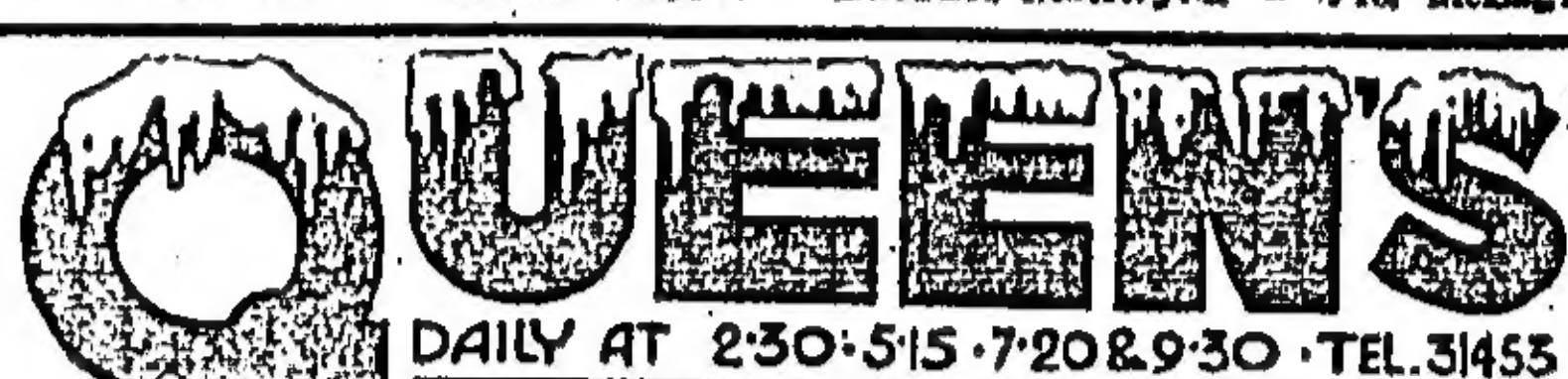
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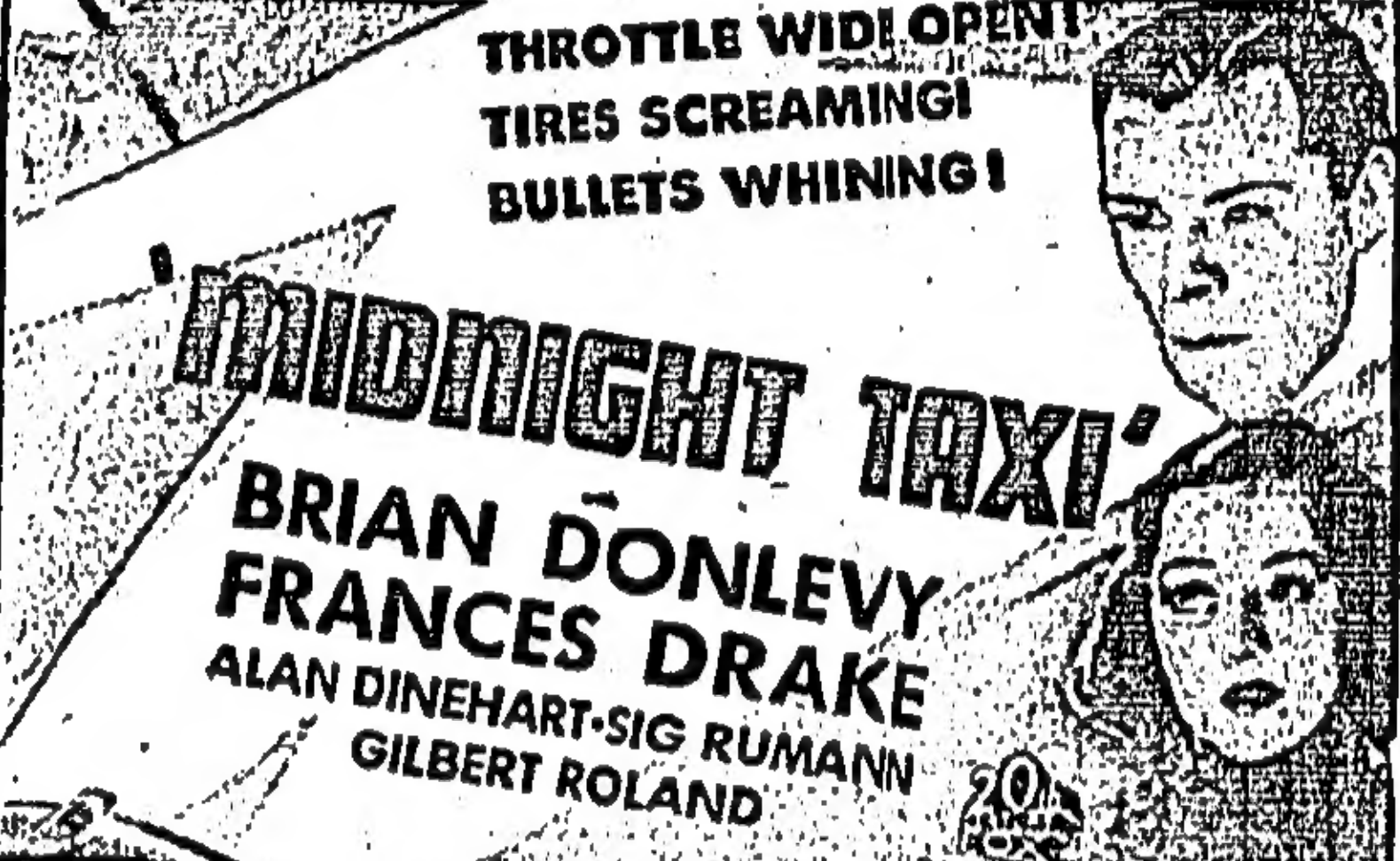
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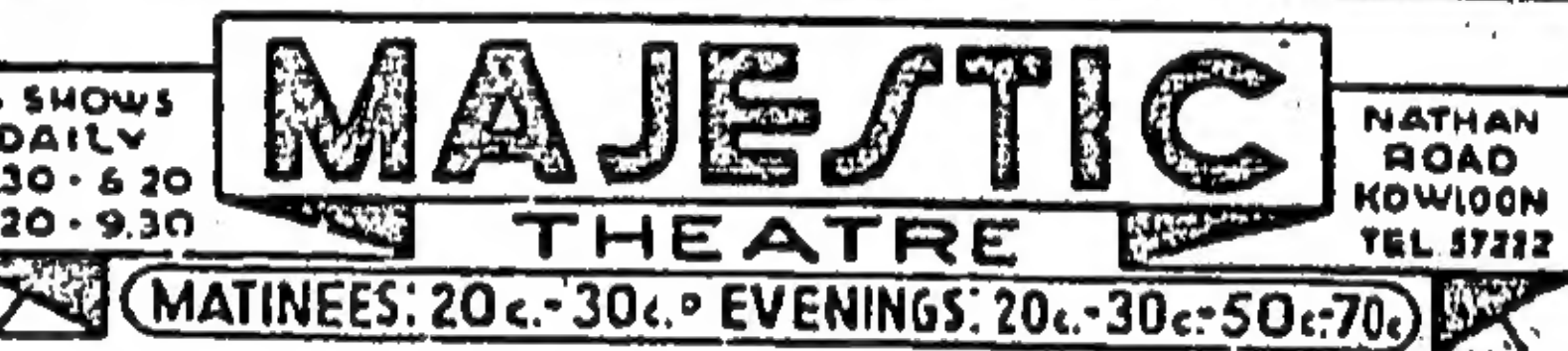
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The following movements of H.M. warships are announced:

H.M.S. Suffolk will leave for Weihaiwei on October 28 to relieve H.M.S. Adventure which is returning to Hongkong.

H.M.S. Delight leaves for Weihaiwei to-day.

H.M.S. Diamond arrived at Foochow yesterday.

H.M.S. Duncan arrived at Weihaiwei yesterday from Tsingtao.

The transport Dunera has passed through Singapore on her way home.

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